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RAIL STRIKE MAY BE NEAR

Persistent Rumors of Walkout If Conference Fails

MAY BE CALLED MAR. 17

Brotherhood Heads Assert That There Is Nothing to Be Said on Subject As Yet

Washington, D. C., March 12. — Talk of a railroad strike was general among local leaders and union officials from the southeast gathered here tonight, but national officers of the four big brotherhoods declined to confirm or deny that definite strike plans actually were under consideration.

The local leaders came for a conference tomorrow preliminary to a meeting of brotherhood and railroad officials to be held in New York Thursday. Sectional conferences will be held in other cities and the brotherhood heads insist that they cannot forecast their course until the locals from all parts of the country have reported the results of their deliberations.

There were distinct indications, however, that there might be more truth in strike reports than appeared on the surface. An impression prevalent among some of the local officials was that a general walk out probably would follow quickly if the roads refused to accede to the union demands at Thursday's conference. Saturday was the day most persistently mentioned as likely to see a climax of the long controversy between the roads and their men.

To all questions the brotherhood heads replied that there was nothing to be said as yet; that sentiment among the men the country over would have to be sounded out before a general strike could be expected; and that many locals still were to be heard from. Neither from them nor from any other authoritative source could be gained any confirmation of the stories that definite strike plans had been made.

It was pointed out, however, that very little time would be required to put a strike order into operation if a decision were reached to take that course. All of the machinery used to prepare for the big strike narrowly averted last fall could be put into service quickly now if the need came.

The present controversy, like that of which it is an outgrowth, revolves around the eight-hour day, and more than one of the local leaders here tonight declared the brotherhoods had waited too long already while the supreme court deliberated on the constitutionality of the shorter basic day. They argued that if the roads decline at Thursday's conference to put an eight-hour day into effect forthwith, the unions would have full justification for a strike.

The union men were unanimous in declaring that in case of a strike care would be exercised to embarrass the government as little as possible in the international crisis.

The government is watching developments closely, however, and probably would itself take a hand should a deadlock seem assured. If a strike appears to be actually threatened, President Wilson is expected to make some move for a settlement.

About 200 brotherhood men from the roads east of the Mississippi and south of the Ohio are expected to attend the meeting here tomorrow. Those from eastern roads will meet in New York Wednesday.

New York, March 12. — Persistent reports were current in railroad circles here today that a countrywide strike would result if a satisfactory agreement is not reached at the conference on the question of the eight-hour working day to be held here Thursday between the railroad managers and representatives of the four brotherhoods of trainmen. It was learned that reports were sent to the railroad presidents by agents of the managers stating that plans had been laid by the brotherhoods to begin such a strike Saturday night in the event their demands are not met at the conference.

Inquiry at railroad headquarters failed to bring out the source of the report, although it was learned definitely that such information had been sent them. The information stated that the brotherhood leaders consider they have waited a reasonable time for the supreme court decision on the Adamson law and "they are going to begin hostilities in a few days," as one railroad representative put it.

The plans of the union leaders, the report said, called for a progressive strike beginning Saturday night and looking to a complete tie up by the following Wednesday night.

Sale of State Bonds.

Albany, March 12. — Official announcement was made today that a public sale of 50-year four per cent. state gold bonds, amounting to $25,000,000 would be held at the state comptroller's office this city on April 4. These bonds, he explained, are exempt from all taxation, are legal investments for trust funds and will be issued in coupon or registered form. The first $10,000,000 are for canal improvements, the second $10,000,000 for highways and $2,500,000 for the Palisades Interstate park and forest parks respectively.

GERARD REACHES U. S.

Merely Says He Will Not Run for Mayor of New York City.

Key West, Fla., March 12.—James W. Gerard, former American ambassador to Germany, reached here late today from Havana and after a brief rest took a train for Washington.

The former ambassador was accompanied by his wife and a party of about 40 Americans from Germany. He seemed to be in the best of spirits and held an informal reception to citizens who crowded the railroad station to see him depart.

Mr. Gerard expressed much interest in the international situation resulting from the Zimmerman note and eagerly accepted copies of newspapers containing dispatches regarding it. Asked for a statement on the subject he replied that he had "been silent for 7,000 miles and would continue so until reaching Washington."

As far as is known the only statement he made today regarding his plans was one to the effect that he would not accept the candidacy for mayor of New York city if that should be offered him. That statement was elicited by correspondents on board the steamer Governor Cobb which brought the former ambassador and his party from Havana.

ALLEGED SMUGGLING PLOT IS UNCOVERED

HIGH EXPLOSIVES TAKEN ABOARD INTERNED GERMAN RAIDERS

Philadelphia, Pa., March 12. — In the absence of official instructions from Washington search of the interned commerce raiders Kronprinz Wilhelm and Prinz Eitel Friedrich at the Philadelphia navy yard for explosives reported to have been smuggled to the vessels from outside sources, an investigation of which has resulted in the arrest of five persons, was deferred today by local agents of the department of justice. The orders authorizing an examination of the ships were expected today, but up to a late hour had not arrived. Additional arrests in the alleged plot which may approach a status international in effects are contemplated, federal agents said tonight.

According to naval officers at the local yard, search of the raiders cannot be made without international complications arising therefrom, unless the government actually seizes the ships, "and that in itself would be a declaration of war."

Frank Gabarino, special agent of the department of justice in charge of the investigation, however, intimated that he did not hold this in view.

"I have my own opinion about that phase of the case," he said.

Gabarino's force of investigators was increased today by several agents from Washington. Extra customs house men were also assigned to assist in the investigation.

The status of the government's case against those arrested Saturday on the charge of smuggling certain goods from the interned ships in violation of the customs laws, remains unchanged so far as steps which the authorities here officially have permitted to become public."

Henry Rohner, president of the Henry Rohner company, wholesale grocers of this city, one of the three principals of the alleged customs fraud, asserted his innocence today. He admitted two of his chauffeurs, under arrest as witnesses, had hauled certain articles to and from the ships for Mrs. Helena Fischer, wife of Adelbert K. Fischer, president of the Schutte Koerting company, machinists, of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Fischer are the other principals named by the government in the smuggling plot.

Rohner declared he had the assurance of Mrs. Fischer that the boxes he removed from the vessels contained nothing detrimental to the government. He said the only articles he had taken to the raiders at the instance of Mrs. Fischer were some delicacies which he sent to friends of herself and husband and grocery supplies for the crew of 85 men.

WESTERN PLAYERS WIN

All Tennis Victories, Save One, Go to Pacific Coast Amateurs.

Los Angeles, California, March 12.—Western players took all matches today in the closing play of the east vs. west tennis tournament and finished the four days of playing with victories in two of the three doubles and all of the four singles matches of tournament play and all the exhibition matches except one mixed doubles.

The one tournament match today was that of Maurice E. McLaughlin (west) against Harold A. Throckmorton (east) the westerner winning 6-4, 6-4, 4-6, 6-3. McLaughlin was erratic in the first three sets but showed plenty of reserve, apparently extending himself only when necessary. Throckmorton used a hard, high bounding swerve which bothered the westerner.

Miss Mary K. Browne and McLaughlin (west) won again in the exhibition mixed doubles against Miss Molla Bjurstedt and Throckmorton (east), 6-2, 6-2.

Miss Bjurstedt also was defeated by Miss Mary K. Brown in the last match of the women's round robin singles, 7-5, 6-0. The round robin was won Saturday by Mrs. May Sutton Bundy.

ALLIES ADVANCE ON WIDE FRONT

New Positions Wrested From Teutons on Western Line

TURKS RETREAT AGAIN

Chinese Empire May Be Next Nation Arrayed Against Germany in the World War

Again the French and British war offices record gains against the Germans on the lines in France. Striking in the Champagne region on a front of 1,500 metres west of Maissons de Champagne, the French recaptured all the positions previously taken by the Germans on ridge 185 and also invaded a German fortified work. One hundred prisoners were taken in the operation. In the Woevre region, near Seicheprey, a raid on a German trench was successfully carried out, while attacks by the Germans between Soissons and Rheims were repulsed.

The British on their part of the front entered German trenches in the vicinity of Bouchavesnes, north of Peronne, and also carried out raids successfully to the south of Arras. In the latter sector the German positions were bombed and many casualties were inflicted on their occupants. Heavy artillery activity is in progress in the Ancre and Somme sectors, according to Berlin. The German war office reports the stopping of a French attack south of Ripont in Champagne and also the destruction of 16 entente airplanes and two captive balloons in attacks by the Germans. The London war office announces that nine German machines were brought down or driven down damaged and admits that five British machines are missing.

On the other fronts, except in Mesopotamia and Persia, where it is assumed that both the British and Russians are still harrassing the Turks, only minor operations have been reported. As yet the full details of the capture of Bagdad by the British have not been made public, although announcement was made in the British house of commons that there was reason to believe two-thirds of the Turkish artillery had been captured by the British or thrown into the Tigris and that in addition large numbers of prisoners and much war material were taken.

Again the Turks were reported by Petrograd to have made a further retreat into Persia, this time leaving a position near Bisitun, 20 miles northeast of Kermanshah, and retiring toward Hadjiabad. The position was occupied by the Russians.

In Macedonia there has been an increase in the artillery activity in the Presba lake and Cerna river sectors, probably presaging an early recommencement of hard fighting in this region.

The possibility that Germany is to have another foe arrayed against her is indicated in an unoffical dispatch from Peking, which says the Chinese house of representatives has approved the government's diplomatic policy, which includes the severance of relations with Germany.

SEND NECESSARY AID TO TORNADO SUFFERERS

NATIONAL GUARDSMEN PATROL STREETS TO PREVENT LOOTING

Newcastle, Ind., March 12. — With Indiana National Guard troops, fresh from Mexican border duty, patrolling the streets, Newcastle, which was swept by a tornado late Sunday afternoon, settled down tonight to another night of chill and darkness. Arrangements had been made to care for practically all the homeless in churches, schools, lodge rooms, public halls and dwellings, but suffering in many cases was intense.

The death roll revised tonight, showed 19 dead, 3 persons missing and about a score seriously injured with a hundred more suffering from minor hurts. No more bodies had been found in the ruins, but two of the injured died in hospitals during the day.

Aid, in the way of food supplies and money, began to reach the city late today. The food problem became serious early in the day. Crackers sold at two cents each and bananas at a nickel apiece. The gas supply was shut off and many places were without means of preparing food that was at hand and canned goods were at a premium.

In answer to the appeal for financial aid, sent broadcast over the state by a citizens committee, relief funds have been started in many cities of the state. Charles W. Fairbanks, former vice president, contributed $1,000 for relief work.

Leonard Outpoints Tillman.

Philadelphia, Pa., March 12.—Benny Leonard, the New York lightweight, won easily on points from Johnny Tillman of Minneapolis, in a six round bout here tonight. Each man scored a knock down in the first round, but neither was a dangerous blow. In the fourth round Leonard again floored Tillman for a count of four with a left hook to the jaw. The New Yorker was the aggressor throughout.

The Conqueror of Bagdad

GENERAL MAUDE.

General F. S. Maude, who, by taking Bagdad, has retrieved one of the greatest British blunders of the war. It is also noted by the English with pride that he required but seventy-three days to take Kut-el-Amara, while General Townshend's little garrison held it for 146 days against Turks.

ORGANIZED LABOR BACK OF PREPAREDNESS PLAN

BUT WITH RESERVATIONS FOR LABOR'S INTERESTS

Washington, D. C., March 12.—Organized labor in America, through its representatives in conference here tonight, offered its services to the country in every field of activity if, despite all endeavors and hopes, the United States should be drawn into war.

The action was taken by unanimous vote of more than 150 delegates from national and international trade unions affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, and five unaffiliated organizations, including the great railroad brotherhoods. In all about 3,000,000 American workers were represented in the conference, called to determine and announce the part to be claimed by labor in national preparedness plans.

A statement formally adopted and issued after the meeting set forth in addition to the offer of services in case of war various demands which were held to be fundamentals in safeguarding the rights of workers in war times as well as in peace. Militarism was protested against; it was held that industrial service should be deemed equally meritorious as military service; that service should conform to trade union standards, and that organized labor should have representation on all agencies determining and administering policies of national defense and controlling publicity. The concluding paragraph of the statement pledging labor's support to the nation follows:

"In this solemn hour of our nation's life, it is our earnest hope that our republic may be safeguarded in its unswerving desire for peace; that our people may be spared the horrors and the burdens of war; that they may have the opportunity to cultivate and develop the arts of peace, human brotherhood and a higher civilization.

"But, despite all our endeavors and hopes, should our country be drawn into the maelstrom of the European conflict, we, with these ideals of liberty and justice herein declared as the indispensable basis for national policies, offer our services to our country in every field of activity, to defend, safeguard, preserve the republic of the United States of America against its enemies, whomsoever they may be, and we call upon our fellow workers and fellow citizens in the holy name of labor, justice, freedom and humanity to devotedly and patriotically give like service."

ALLEGED PLOTTER ARRESTED

Another Hindoo Charged with Conspiring with Von Papen.

New York, March 12. — Heramba L. Gupta, a Hindoo student of Columbia university, arrested here yesterday, was arraigned today on a charge of violating the neutrality of the United States by conspiring with Franz Von Papen, former German military attache to this country, to organize a military enterprise here to free India from British rule. He was held in $5,000 bail for the federal grand jury, after waiving examination.

The complaint states that Gupta acted in conjunction with Von Papen and that Von Papen at various times paid to the student large sums of money to send him to Japan in furtherance of the enterprise.

The bail of Dr. Chadra Chakraberty, another Hindoo, and Ernest Sekunna, a German, both held on charges, was reduced today from $25,000 to $5,000.

Chakraberty, Sekunna and Gupta later obtained bail through a surety company and were released.

SUFFRAGE GIVEN ANOTHER CHANCE

Senate Passes Resolution Authorizing Referendum

SEVEN NEGATIVE VOTES

Senator Sage Predicts That Vote Against It Will Be Larger Than in 1915

Albany, March 12.—The resolution to provide for a referendum on the Woman Suffrage question at the state election next November was passed in the senate tonight by a vote of 39 to 7. Tonight's action was the last step in the legislative procedure preliminary to referring the subject to the electorate. The measure is concerned with amending the state constitution and consequently does not have to receive the approval of the governor.

The seven senators who voted against the resolution were Lawson, Sage, Towner, Walters and Wicks, Republicans, and Downing and Ramsperger, Democrats.

The absentees were: Newton, Republican, and Carroll, Cullen, and Heffernan, Democrats.

Majority Leader Elon R. Brown, whose opposition to the proposition has always been determined and pronounced, surprised the great throng of women that filled the floor and galleries by supporting the resolution.

In a speech in explanation of his attitude he said that although he was voting for the resolution he was more firmly opposed to its adoption than ever.

"Its passage last year," he said, "the fact that my party at Saratoga recommended a re-submission of the question, and many events transpiring since the last legislative session persuade me that it is desirable to make this attempt to get a final settlement of the issue. I am opposed to woman suffrage because it conflicts with my ideals of manhood and womanhood. Chivalry is not dead, and who would kill it by taking from man part of his obligation as a protector and attempting to transfer to woman an obligation that is solely his?

"Another serious feature of the proposal is its effect on the birth rate. American families have few children—often none. This is directly traceable to the present obligations of woman. Add to these obligations the suffrage and office holding and it will be further reduced. I will not deliberately vote to change the policy of the state in a way that will reduce the birth rate. I regard the birth control agitation as an offshoot of suffrage. Take an enumeration of those who are advocating birth control and see how many are suffragists."

Senator Downing said he believed that the vote of the people in 1915 settled the question for some time to come. Senator Lawson expressed the view that many senators were voting for re-submission in order to "see the people give it another swat." Senator Sage predicted that when the votes were counted in November the majority against suffrage would be greater than in 1915.

U. S. GIVES NOTICE OF ARMING MERCHANTMEN

NO INFORMATION GIVEN OUT AS TO DETAILED PLANS

Washington, D. C., March 12.—The United States government today took the only formal step that will precede the sailing for the war zone of American merchant ships armed to resist attack by German submarines.

Notice to the world of the intention to place an armed guard on merchantmen was given in a communication sent by the state department to all embassies and legations in Washington.

Officials continued to be reticent today about the arming of ships and the probable date the first would be ready to sail. All such details are regarded as military secrets. In fact, there is a general disposition to avoid discussing any phase of the situation pending the outcome of the defiance of the submarine menace by American vessels with naval guns and gunners on board.

Speculation continues as to the part the United States may play if forced into actual hostilities by Germany. In official quarters the opinion is very clear that President Wilson for the present at least is contemplating no more direct connection with the European war than is necessary to protect American rights on the high seas. Preparations for any eventualities are going forward but the President is known still to cling to the hope that there will be no actual clash between America's armed merchantmen and German submarines.

Wilson Remains in His Room.

Washington, D. C., March 12. — President Wilson remained in his room today because of the cold which kept him in bed most of last week. It was said that he was steadily improving.

The President was able to confer with Secretary Lansing and Senator Martin, the Democratic leader of the senate, during the day, but it appeared probable that the usual Tuesday cabinet meeting would be cancelled.

WANT CRUISERS REMOVED

Philadelphia Authorities Object to Presence of German Raiders.

Washington, D. C., March 12. — Formal request for the removal from the League Island navy yard of the interned German commerce raider Prinz Eitel Friedrich and Kronprinz Wilhelm or the 700 men comprising their crews, was made personally to Secretary Daniels today by Mayor Smith of Philadelphia, on the ground that they constitute a menace to the safety of the city.

The mayor was told that transfer of the German crews already was under consideration and that a suitable place for them was being sought. He also was assured that every precaution was being taken by the authorities to guard against the possibility of any disturbance by the German sailors and that they were under constant surveillance by the navy yard authorities. No official report of the arrest on charges of smuggling of some of the Germans has reached the department. Officials said they had heard informally, however, that several arrests had been made and that rumors were current in Philadelphia that high explosives were being secretly taken aboard the ships.

HIGH SPEED PATROL BOATS ARE ORDERED

DELIVERY TO BE COMMENCED WITHIN FOUR MONTHS

Washington, D. C., March 12.—Preliminary steps were taken by the navy department today toward contracting for the quick construction of 100 or more high speed coast patrol boats of a new type for scouting against submarines. At a conference in which a score of builders were represented, assurances were given that deliveries could be begun within four months.

There was no announcement, but it is understood that contracts will be awarded shortly.

Plans prepared for the patrol boats call for a craft 110 feet long, propelled by powerful steam engines. Details of their armament and equipment are now being worked out, but probably will not be made public. They will be more seaworthy and have a much larger cruising radius than the standard "submarine chaser" an 85-foot gasoline motor boat.

Some of the companies represented in today's conference have turned out large numbers of "chasers" for the British government.

Representatives of the major shipbuilders also appeared at the department during the day, bringing data concerning their corporations and plans for which Secretary Daniels recently asked. The information is for use in determining the allotment of new construction, and also is desired for the guidance of the government in the event it becomes necessary to exercise the authority granted by congress for commandeering private establishments.

Secretary Daniels announced that bids for six scout cruisers of the 35 knot type designed last year would be opened Wednesday.

CHINA MAY SOON ENTER WAR

Some Possibility of Discontent on Part of People.

Washington, D. C., March 12. — Further developments looking to a severance of relations with Germany by China were reported to the state department today by Minister Reinsch at Peking, with the prediction that a final rupture might be expected at any time.

There is no intimation from any source that China is prepared as yet to actually join the war against Germany, although diplomatic circles here confirm Peking dispatches saying the entente, led by Japan, is urging the Peking government to declare war and exchange her large supplies of iron and other war materials for permission to increase her customs dues and the postponement of her Boxer indemnities. China already has signified her intention of following the lead of the United States, and it has been regarded as probable here that she would hold to that course.

The appeal by the former president, Dr. Sun Yat Sen, to Premier Lloyd George to stop the allies from trying to bring China into the war attracted much interest here and provoked discussion of the question as to whether drastic action by the Chinese government would be supported by the people or would lead to popular uprising. Dr. Sun is realized to have tremendous influence in the south of China.

To Study Freight Congestion.

Albany, March 12.—In a message transmitted to the legislature tonight, Governor Whitman recommended the appointment of a commission to cooperate with a similar body to be appointed by the Governor of New Jersey in an attempt to solve the problems presented by the congestion of freight at the port of New York.

The governor pointed out that the rapid growth of the industries of the state, coincident with the growth of business throughout the nation, had produced a state of congestion at the port which not only delayed the prompt disposition of business but also increased both the cost of doing business and the cost of living. Recent embargoes resulting from this congestion, threaten the closing down of industrial plants with the consequent enforced idleness of the employes.

STEEL COMPANY NOW UNDER FIRE

Government Witnesses Characterize It As Great Monopoly

PREVENTS COMPETITION

Corporation's Counsel Asserts That No One Finds Fault Except the Government

Washington, D. C., March 12.—The United States Steel corporation was alternately extolled and denounced today before the supreme court as arguments continued in the federal anti trust suit.

Fair treatment by the corporation of customers, competitors and employes, without monopolistic or unfair trade practices, was claimed by R. V. Lindabury, counsel for the defendants.

"An abnormal, illegal and grossly overcapitalized colossal super combination of combinations," was how the corporation was characterized by Henry E. Colton, special assistant to the attorney general.

Mr. Lindabury denied that the corporation has the power or disposition to oppress competitors and asserted that only the government—not customers or competitors—had complained of its effects.

"The trade feels no oppression; customers and employes are satisfied," he said in concluding his arguments. "If there ever was a concern entitled to judgment that it is performing with clean, honest and fair conduct, and beneficial effect on industry, this is one. This is not the time, when we are endeavoring to mobilize our industries, to disintegrate or destroy them."

Following the defendant's counsel, Mr. Colton, for the government, told the court that the corporation comprises 118 competing units merged into nine combinations, with these nine later merged into one-half of the entire national industry and dominating the whole trade and products' prices. He spoke of strong competition existing between the Carnegie, Federal and National companies before they combined, a combination effected, he said, because J. P. Morgan and others interested feared an outbreak of disastrous competition, involving lowering of prices.

"The Morgans knew Carnegie was threatening to make it warm for them," he said. "The corporation took over all big, powerful competitors and completely outclassed the outputs of those left outside."

"It was a stock pool, a merger of stocks with $56,000,000 in profits to the promoters—spoils so great that even men of their calibre were interested. It had a watered stock of $500,000,000 upon which $35,000,000 dividends were paid annually.

"Carnegie himself wouldn't take any watered stock; he stood out for bonds.

"The men who put the corporation together have been most persistent violators of the anti trust laws. Morgan put together the Northern Securities company which was dissolved by this court."

Through the "Gary Dinners" Mr. Colton said, the corporation maintained and controlled prices, competitors following the corporation because it dominated the trade.

Virtually all of the government's own witnesses, Mr. Lindabury argued, testified that the corporation lacks power to put competitors out of business. "Any former advantage, he declared, grew from Minnesota or railroad control and rates, later adjusted by the inter state commerce commission.

"In a trade war," he said, "the corporation would suffer in proportion to its interests."

Marked price increases of steel products from 1899 to 1900, the attorney said, were not due to the alleged combination but were general in the whole industry and were prevalent in all commodities—not in steel products alone. The hearings will continue tomorrow.

ANDERSON MAY EXPLAIN

Senate Quick to Investigate His Bribery Allegations.

Albany, March 12.—Quick action on the part of the state senate to investigate alleged intimations by William H. Anderson, state superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league, that liquor interests were ready to use a large amount of money to defeat the passage of the anti-liquor legislation, seemed probable tonight. While no member of the senate would make any announcement on the subject it was learned that the subject was considered today and that it was planned to summon Mr. Anderson before the bar of the senate to tell what he knows of the fund.

In a statement today Mr. Anderson declared the liquor interests were ready to resort to bribery and intimated that a large amount of money had been collected. This fund, he hinted, was being kept in banks outside of the state and would be rushed to Albany at the moment needed to secure defeat of legislation advocated by the anti-liquor interests.

Legislators and senators in particular were indignant because of the intimations in Mr. Anderson's statement and some of them, it was said, urged that action be taken tomorrow.

"I never have run from a legislature yet," Mr. Anderson declared when he learned of the plan. "I'll be here tomorrow."

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HOW TO RELIEVE HEAD NOISES

GOOD ADVICE FOR THOSE WHO FEAR DEAFNESS.

People who are growing hard of hearing and who experience a stuffy feeling of pressure against their ear drums, accompanied by buzzing, rumbling sounds in their head like water falling or steam escaping should take prompt and effective measures to stop this trouble. Head noises are almost invariably the forerunners of complete or partial deafness, and most deaf people suffer from them constantly. Sometimes these head noises become so distracting and nerve-racking, with their never-ceasing "hum," they drive the sufferer almost frantic and complete nervous breakdown may result.

Thanks to a remarkable prescription, it is now possible to lessen the severity of these head noises and often completely overcome them and with the disappearing of the head noises the hearing also greatly improves, and very frequently can be restored to normal. It can be easily prepared at home for about 75c and we believe is a most effective treatment for this trouble. From your druggist secure one ounce Parmint (double strength), take this home and add to it one-fourth pint of hot water and four ounces of granulated sugar. Stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day. Parmint is used in this way not only to reduce by tonic action the inflammation and swelling in the Eustachian Tubes, and thus to equalize the air pressure on the drum, but to correct any excess of secretions in the middle ear, and the results it gives are usually quick and effective.

Every person who has catarrh in any form should give this recipe a trial. Advt.

Fine job printing at The Herald office.

TURKEY GIVES UP ATTEMPT

To Persuade United States to Abandon Old Treaty Rights.

Washington, D. C., March 12.—Turkey has abandoned her attempts to draw from the United States recognition of her abrogation of the capitulations under which American citizens in the Ottoman empire are subject to the laws of their own country. Ambassador Elkus at Constantinople, it became known tonight, has cabled that the Turkish government will accept "temporarily" the four American consuls recently transferred to that country from Germany, under the old form of "exequator empowering the consuls to act as extra territorial judges in cases involving citizens of the United States and their property."

With this question cleared up the state department now has forwarded another request to Germany that the four consuls who have been delayed at Munich be permitted to depart for their new posts in Turkey immediately. When these consuls were ordered transferred soon after the severance of relations between the United States and Germany reports indicated that they were being held virtually as hostages because this country was believed to be hindering the movements of the former German consul general at Atlanta who was delayed at Havana on his way to Equador. Later the state department was advised that safe conducts were not issued because itwas uncertain whether the consuls would be received in Turkey.

Stolen Bells Were Returned.

Paris, France, March 12. — The Temps says it learns from repatriated citizens of Peronne that German troops dismounted and sent away the bells from all churches of that city and neighborhood, supposedly with the intention of melting them. The newspaper adds that the Peronne bells subsequently were brought back to the town and deposited in a corner of the public square after Pope Benedict had intervened.

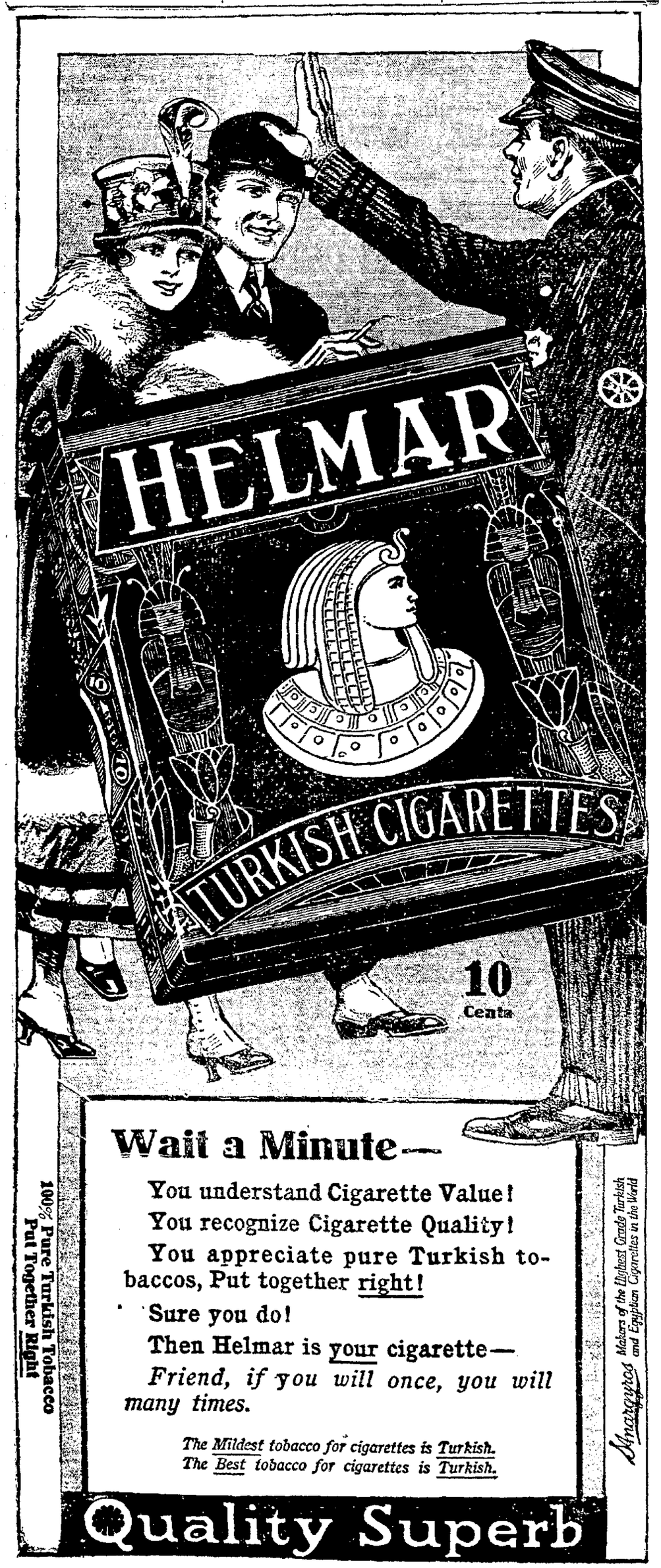
Smooth Faced.

A "smooth faced man" today is one who does not wear a beard. A hundred years ago, according to a commentator, a "smooth faced man" was one who had not had his face pitted by smallpox.

Neighbors.

"What sort of neighbors have you?"

"The usual sort. Cost us just a little more than I earn to keep up with 'em."—Detroit Free Press.



HOUSE ORGANIZATION UNCERTAIN PROBLEM

NEITHER BIG PARTY READY YET TO MAKE ANY CONCESSIONS

Washington, D. C., March 12.—Despite many conferences among leaders and animated discussion of many proposals for working out Democratic, Republican or bi-partisan control of the incoming house of representatives, there were few signs that the plans of either of the big parties or of the little group of independents will take definite form until within a few days of the meeting of the special session on April 16.

Most of the members have left the capital with the impression that the lines for the organization fight cannot be drawn even so much as a month in advance because of the shifting of strength due to deaths and the uncertainties surrounding plans for special elections to fill the vacancies.

Republican Leader Mann, who will be his party's candidate for speaker, departed tonight after announcing that he would not favor any trading for Republican control and predicting that bi-partisan organization was "not improbable."

The fluctuating standing of the parties presented tonight the prospect that the Democrats will have 215 votes and the Republicans 214 when the special session convenes. It will require 218 to elect a speaker. The five so-called independents holding the balance of power have been unable so far to agree on a concerted course, but they will meet again just before the beginning of the session.

In order to keep their strength up to 215 the Democrats will have to elect a Democrat in the Fifteenth New York district where a special election is to be held April 12 to choose a successor to the late Representative Conry. It is conceded, however, that the strong Tammany element there will have no difficulty in returning a Democratic majority. The hopes of the Republicans that a Republican might be elected in New Hampshire to succeed the late Representative Sulloway and bring the Republican total to 215 disappeared today when it was discovered that the state statutes would not permit an election before April 16.

During the day Representative Mann telegraphed governors of New York and New Hampshire urging that special elections in the Conry and Sulloway districts be called as quickly as possible.

Japanese Homes.

"One last thing I should like to mention," said the Japanese editor, "and that is our so called pride. I can receive you here at this club as man to man, and we can talk freely. But the ordinary Japanese home is not fitted for intercourse with foreigners. Our kitchens cannot prepare foreign food. Our mattings are marred by the use of tables and chairs. Our wives are not accustomed to meeting strangers and do not speak foreign languages. Visitors are compelled to take off their shoes, and, if they have holes in their socks, that is embarrassing for them. Under such conditions intercourse has been in the past rather difficult. We do not like to accept hospitality without being able to reciprocate. Reciprocity is a national trait of the Japanese. We respond very quickly to friendship or suspicion."—Maynard Owen Williams in Christian Herald.

Gascony.

Gascony, the old province of France, is a favorite locality to evolve heroes of fiction. It is in the southwestern part and derived its name from the Vascones, a Spanish tribe, which crossed the Pyrenees about 580. It is that area of land between the Pyrenees, the Garonne and the Atlantic. In 1152, when Eleanor married Henry Plantagenet, it became an English possession and remained so until 1453, when the French reconquered it. Its inhabitants were noted for their slowness, courage and passion for boasting.

PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT.

To Prevent Colds.

Dr. Eugene L. Fisk of the Life Extension institute, in New York city, suggests that one of the best methods for preventing colds is to breathe as much fresh air as possible. A draft, he holds, is not to be feared unless it is strong enough to be chilling. It is as silly to weaken your resistance by coddling as it is to be over-Spartan. The skin can be trained to help resist germ infection, and one of the worst ways to train it is to work and live and sleep in overheated rooms. The same sort of rules apply to clothing. Adapt your clothing to the condition of your health and to the conditions of the weather. One man can wear light underclothing all the year round; for another whose physique is not so hardy or who has chronic heart or kidney trouble such a course is folly. It is as harmful to expose yourself too much as it is to weaken your resistance by building up. Baths? One man can take cold baths and be no worse for them; another of a more delicate constitution will suffer nervous shocks from the same temperatures. Try out your skin and find out its reaction point. Of course you will do well to avoid constipation, overeating and extreme fatigue, for these all aggravate colds and invite them. The man who is subject to colds should be sparing in his use of tobacco and should know that he weakens his resisting powers if he drinks alcohol.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

New York Markets.

New York, March 12.—Rails were the dominant features of today's erratic market, the activity and strength of that group affording a striking contrast to their inertia of recent weeks.

Substantial advances were made by a variety of transportation shares, but coalers showed to greatest advantage, Reading scoring an extreme gain of 3⅝ points to 97⅛, with one to 2½ for Norfolk & Western, Chesepeake & Ohio, Baltimore & Ohio, Erie, Wheeling & Lake Erie, common and preferred and Western Maryland.

All the Pacifics were higher by one to 1½ points as were Western and southwestern divisions.

Leading industrials, including U. S. Steel were irregular to heavy, falling to lowest levels in the last hour. Steel fluctuated between 113¾ and 110⅝, closing at 110¾, a net loss of 2⅛ points. Bethlehem Steel new stock registered a gross decline of 4¼ at 112¾ and coppers reacted one to almost three points, American Smelting losing 2⅝ points.

Shippings also denoted uncertainty from the more acute phases of the international situation.

U. S. Bonds unchanged.

New York Produce.

Butter — Easy. Receipts, 7,972 tubs. creamery, higher than extras, 40½@41; extras, 92 score, 37½@40; firsts, 35@37; seconds, 34@34½.

Eggs — Unsettled. Receipts, 10,198 cases. Fresh gathered, extra fine, 28½@29; extra firsts, 28; firsts, 27@27½; seconds and lower grades, 26@26½; nearby hennery whites, fine to fancy, 31@33; browns, 30@31.

Cheese — Firm. Receipts, 1,045 boxes. State held specials, 27¼@27½; chickens, 19@29; fowls, 17½@23½; turkeys, 28@34.

New York Meats.

Beeves — Receipts, 2,885 head. Market firm. Steers, $9@11.60; bulls, $6.50@9.25; extras, $9.50@10; cows, $4.40@8.

Calves — Receipts, 4,030 head. Market weak. Veals, $12.50@15.75; choice, $16; culls, $9@12; barn yard calves, $6.50@7; yearlings, $5.50@6.

Sheep and Lambs — Receipts, 3,720 head. Market steady. Common to medium sheep, $7@10; culls $6; lambs $13@16; common clipped, $11.

Hogs — Receipts, 9,160 head. Market firm. Light to heavy, $14.25@15.25; roughs, $13.25; pigs, $13@13.75.

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Prices Paid Producers.

Butter, fresh dairy	39@40
Butter, creamery	40@41
Eggs, fresh laid, dozen	30
Cheese, lb.	25
Potatoes	$2.00
Live poultry	20
Spring Chickens	20
Dressed hogs	13@15
Dressed beef	10@11
Veal, grain fed	12@13
Veal, sweet milk calves	14@15

Grain and Feeds.

(Prices Charged at Retail).

Salt, barrel	$2.05
Corn	$1.32
Corn meal, cwt.	$2.44
Oats	$1
Spring wheat middlings	$2.28
Winter wheat middlings	$2.43
Hominy	$2.45

Hides.

(Quoted by Miller Hide Co.)

Cow hides	17
Bull hides	13
Horse hides	$6.00to7.00
Veal skins	$2.50to4.50
Dairy skins	$1.75to2.25

Explosives.

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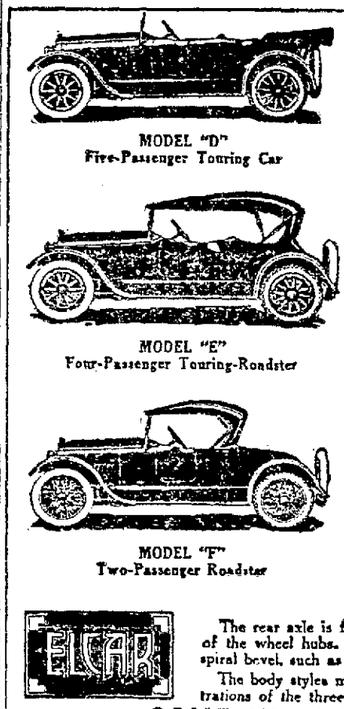

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OTSEGO COUNTY NEWS

STUDENTS GIVE SURPRISE.

Principal and Preceptress pleasantly Remembered on Birthday.

Otego, March 12.—On Thursday evening last the High school students gave Mr. VanDeusen, principal, and Miss Towne, preceptress, a surprise party at the High school, the occasion being their birthdays. Miss Towne was induced by two of the students to go to the school for a book which they needed at once. Professor VanDeusen very kindly opened the school for them, when they were met by an onrush of students

The evening was pleasantly spent in various amusements and refreshments were served. Two birthday cakes, decorated with the lighted candles, were among the evening's refreshments.

Bakery Opened.

Mrs. Newton Mulkins and Mrs. John Hess opened their bakery in the Fuller block, Monday morning. Mrs. Mulkins and Mrs. Hess will conduct an up-to-date bakery, where a full line of bake goods may be purchased at reasonable prices.

Electric Lights Installed.

Electric lights are being installed in the I. O. O. F. block. C. L. Stilson is doing the work.

O. E. S. To Be Entertained.

Mrs. W. J. Card and Mrs. A. L. Martin will entertain the O. E. S Thimble club, at the home of the former, on Friday afternoon, March 16, from 2 until 5 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all members.

Personal Workers.

By a division of team No. 1 of the Personal Workers they will hold two cottage prayer meetings Wednesday evening of this week at 7:30 o'clock. Meetings will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Wood, Brother Cary, leader; and one at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Fish, Brother Terry, leader.

Team No. 2 will hold a meeting at the same hour at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Herring, Brother Poole, leader.

Thirty-four were present at the meeting last week at W. A. Secor's.

Methodist Mention.

All services on Sunday next with preaching by the pastor. Daniel Gifford will be leader of the Junior league and J. C. Hyatt of the Epworth.

The Women's Foreign Missionary society will meet with Mrs. C H Broadfoot on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Ladies are requested to come prepared to do sewing.

The first division of the Ladies' Aid society will serve another supper in the basement of the church, on Thursday of next week, March 22.

Grammar Dept. Enjoys Sleighride.

Miss Marion Loveland, teacher of the grammar department of the High school, gave her pupils a sleighride on Thursday afternoon. After the ride, all enjoyed a supper served in the High school building.

Box Social Successful.

The box social held by the members of the Christian church at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Harris, netted the society $33.16. Mrs. Floyd Foot won the prize for the lady having the most expensive box and Floyd Foot won the prize for the man who bid the highest.

Union Prayer Meeting.

The Methodist and Baptist societies will hold a union prayer meeting at the Methodist church Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The members of the Baptist church will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Waite at 7.10 and attend in a body.

I. O. O. F. Install.

The third degree was worked upon two candidates of the I. O. O. F. Thursday evening. Refreshments and a social hour were enjoyed after the meeting.

Victrola Dance.

A victrola dance was held in the opera house Thursday evening. There were about 25 present. Refreshments were served.

Minor Otego Mention.

Millard Cooley of Oneonta was a guest Sunday at the home of W. J. Card.—Seymour Martin of Watervliet spent Saturday in Otego.—Mrs. Blaine Wakeman of Wells Bridge spent Saturday visiting relatives and friends in Otego.—Mrs. S. A. Warner of Oneonta, who has been spending the past week with her niece, Mrs. W. J. Card, has returned home.—Mrs. Minnie Cleary of Oneonta called on friends in Otego Saturday.—Miss Laurine Payne is visiting her mother, Mrs. Lauren Payne. — Mrs. J. T. Beck of Susquehanna, Pa., who has been visiting her brother, W. J. Card, and family, returned home Monday.—Bert Barney of Portlandville was a welcome caller at the Methodist Episcopal parsonage on Saturday afternoon. — Mr. and Mrs. George Barney of Mt. Vernon are visiting relatives here.

VISTAS FROM MT. VISION.

Relatives from Baltimore Attend Funeral of Mrs. Helen Smith Tuesday.

Mt. Vision, March 12. — Mr and Mrs. Harold Wright of Baltimore, Md., came to Mt. Vision Tuesday of last week to attend the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Helen Smith. Mr. Wright returned to Baltimore Sunday, but Mrs. Wright will remain for a longer period.

A Tribute to Sheldon Rockwell.

Sunday morning the news of the death of Sheldon Rockwell of Lena was brought to our village, bringing with it that sense of loss that always comes with the death of a good man. The funeral, which will be private, will occur Tuesday at 2 p. m., Rev. George P. Adams of the Baptist church of Mt. Vision, his pastor, officiating.

Grange Meetings.

The Otego Valley grange will hold its next regular meeting Friday evening, March 16, and there will be in addition a short program.

The entertainment given by the young people of the grange, and the "Darktown Glee and Minstrel Club," at a recent date, will be repeated Tuesday evening, March 13. The receipts of the first presentation were over $50 and we hope they may be again greeted by a crowded house.

Minor Mt. Vision Mention.

Mrs. Charles Beckley went to Cooperstown Friday, Mr. Beckley following and returning with her Sunday.—Mrs. John Salisbury of Cooperstown recently visited friends here in Mt. Vision. — Mrs. E. J. Pattengill spent Saturday and Sunday in Oneonta at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Shove. Miss Margaret Pattingill went to Hartwick at the same time to visit her grandmother, Mrs. Abbie Morehouse. — Mrs. Hiram Saxton and Mrs. Harriet Scott, who have been on the sick list, are improving. — Mr. and Mrs. Bert Miller, who have been visiting friends in Morris, have returned to their home here with Mrs. Hiram Murdock, Mrs. Miller's mother. — Kendall Dunn of Oneonta visited at A. Robinson's from Saturday evening to Monday.

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IN AND ABOUT SCHENEVUS.

Senior Class of High School Presents Cranberry Corners at Davenport.

Schenevus, March 12 — The Senior class presented their play, "Cranberry Corners," to a crowded house at Davenport, Friday evening last, the gross receipts of the evening being $55 70. Davenport reports indicate that the entertainment pleased all "On to Washington."

O. E. S. Meeting.

The regular meeting of Schenevus chapter, No. 138, O. E. S., will be held at Masonic hall, March 13, 1917. The past mattons and past patrons of the order will have charge of the meeting. Entertainment and refreshments will be provided.

Creek Overflows Sunday Night.

The Sparrowhhawk creek left its banks for the first time this spring Sunday night, as a result of Saturday night's rains and Sunday's thaw, and flooded the flats at the lower end of the village. The ice and snowbanks had been removed from the creek bed by order of the village fathers, and this probably prevented the Sparrowhawk from going on its usual rampage.

Basketball Games.

The High School basketball team meets the Worcester High school on the latter's court on Friday evening of this week, and on Saturday evening Cobleskill High school will be their opponents on the local court. A return game at Cobleskill on the twenty-third completes their schedule.

The championship of the town of Maryland will be played off at Maryland Friday evening, when the Schenevus All Stars meet the Maryland regulars.

Important Meeting Epworth League.

An important business meeting of the Epworth league will be held in the league rooms on Friday evening of this week. All members are requested to be present.

Roast Pork Supper.

Remember the Epworth league roast pork supper, which will be served in the Methodist Episcopal church dining room on Wednesday of this week, from 5:30 until all are served.

PORTLANDVILLE POINTERS.

Portlandville, March 12. — Mr. and Mrs. George Becker returned home on Saturday, after spending the time since Christmas with friends in Schoharie county. — Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Murray visited at the home of their uncle, Egbert E. Aylesworth, on Sunday. — The many friends of Miss Hazel Bliss are glad that she has so far recovered from the operation performed some time ago at the Fox Memorial hospital that she is able to be out and calling on friends. She spent the day Thursday with Mrs. Abbott Porter. — Mrs. Julia Lyke was called to Oneonta by the sudden death of Mrs. Isaac Lyke. She left on the evening train Sunday. — Mr. and Mrs. Kane of Worcester visited Mr. and Mrs. VanDewerker and H. Rhyners and wife over the sabbath. Mrs. Jesse Welch and children were guests of Mrs. Rhyners Saturday. — The two-year-old son of George Applegate was severely burned on Sunday, by tipping over a quantity of boiling tea on his hand and arm. — Myron Marundale called on his sister, Mrs. Fayette DeLong, Sunday afternoon. — The Baptist Christian Endeavor society, held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burt Packer Friday evening, was a success both financialy and socially. About 100 were in attendance. — Bible class Tuesday evening at the Christian church. — Group No. 2 of the Ladies' Aid society of the Christian church will serve dinner at the church parlors Friday, March 16.

SCHUYLER LAKE BULLETIN.

Ladies' Aid Society to Meet Thursday at Home of Mrs. Wakerley.

Schuyler Lake, March 12. — The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church will meet at Mrs. H. J. Wakerley's Thursday afternoon, March 15. Supper will be served at 5 o'clock. Price 10 cents. All wishing to go in Mrs. M. J. Clark's load meet at Uriah Bentley's at 1:45 p. m.

Prayer meetings will be held on Thursday evening at Mrs. Wakerley's instead of Wednesday evening as usual. Everyone cordially invited to attend both meetings.

The meeting held last week at Mrs. Charles Brown's with Mrs. Frank Bliss acting as hostess was largely attended, the proceeds being $4 20.

Church Notes.

The services of the Methodist church were largely attended Sunday morning and those present listened to an interesting sermon by the pastor, Rev. A. H. Landmesser. A duet, Star of the East by Rev. Landmesser and Miss Cecile Dalley, with Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Clark accompanying on piano and mandolin was very fine. The Sunday school was very largely attended. Also as of late a big interest is being shown in the services with three large organized classes besides a large infant class and much praise is due Rev. A. H. Landmesser and Mrs. M. J. Clarke for their untiring efforts to make it interesting and successful.

Schuyler Lake Brevities.

Mrs. H. O. Kidder has returned to her home in Laurens after spending the past month with her daughter, Mrs. F. Allen. — Mr and Mrs. Loren Sperry, Mrs. Earl Chase and son of Cooperstown spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Ella Chase. — Don't forget the Forestry lecture at the school house Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. —Mrs. Fayette Allen attended the funeral of her cousin, Mrs. W. D. Johnson, at Cooperstown, Friday morning. — Rev. A. H. Landmesser spent Monday at Exeter Center, where he gave an address at the farm meeting held at the town hall. — E. F. Washburn spent Sunday with his parents at Burlington Flats and reports the sick as improving. —There will be a moving picture show at Bullion's hall Tuesday evening, March 13. Price of admission 10 and 15 cents.

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LATEST COLLIERS COMMENT.

Colliers, March 12. — The Sewing circle of the Methodist Episcopal church will meet with Mrs. George Quackenbush Thursday afternoon. — Albert Blaylock returned to his home at Tuckerton, New Jersey, last week. His wife and little daughter will make a more extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Rifenbark.—Mr. and Mrs. Ray Baldwin and children of Delmar and Mrs. Blanch Baldwin of Binghamton, Miss Mable Rifenbark of Whitney Pint and Amelia of Little Falls were home to attend the funeral of their little nephew, Robert Blaylock. — Mr. and Mrs. William Bronk of Oneonta spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Elmer Bugbee. — Miss Margaret Southworth returned to Utica Saturday, after spending two weeks at her home here. — Harry Randall and wife spent Sunday at Ray Shephard's. — Mr. and Mrs. William Johnston of Binghamton were over-Sunday guests at Gilbert Utter's. — Mr. and Mrs. M. P. VanDeusen and George Luther, who have been seriously ill, are all improving. — The Bible class will meet every Wednesday evening through the month of March at Cooperstown Junction. Everyone welcome. — Mrs. David Jenkins went to Brooklyn Monday, after spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Gilbert Utter.

WELLS BRIDGE BUDGET.

Wells Bridge, March 12.—Several parties from this place attended the speaking contest held at Unadilla on Friday evening at the hall of the Unadilla High school and they were much pleased to find the two first prizes were won by students from this vicinity, Lawrence Boyd and Miss Louise Bouck. — March 6, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rogers, a party was given in honor of the eighteenth birthday of Miss Dorothy E. Youmans. Eight young ladies of about her age were present and the evening was merrily spent with music and dancing. The table set for the occasion was prettily decorated, the colors being pink and white. Miss Dorothy will long remember this her eighteenth birthday for which she gives thanks to Mrs. Joseph Rogers and her young friends.—Mrs. Julius Barber of Oneonta visited friends in this place on Saturday.—Frank Sprague moves from Mrs. Mary Hawks' rooms to rooms of Mrs. George Reichards' —Mr. and Mrs. John Youmans, with Mrs. H. E. Merriman, visited friends in Leonta last Wednesday.—Those having sap bushes are preparing for the making of sugar and syrup. At the high prices of tinware, buckets and syrup cans we have

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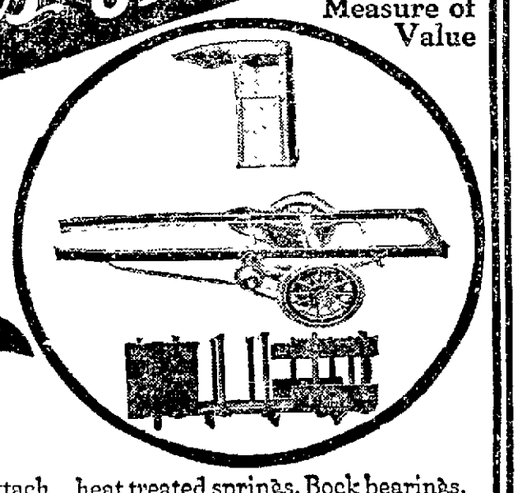

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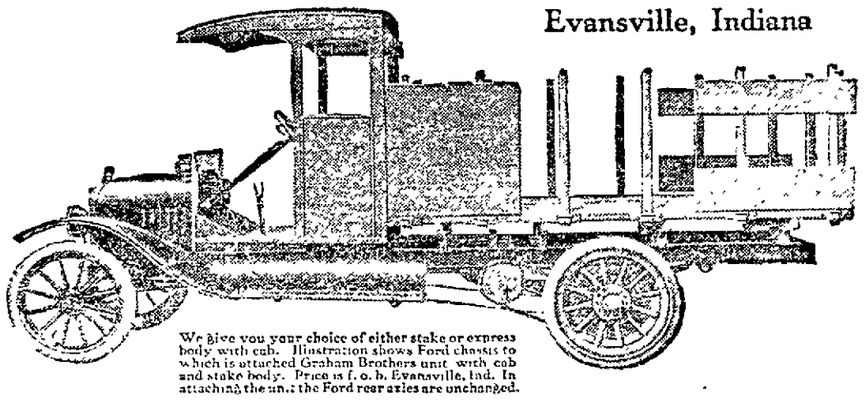

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THE FALL OF BAGDAD.

Saramacand and Ind and the Arabian Nights, and the great sultan Haroun al Reschid are brought to mind by the tidings of yesterday that the city of Bagdad had fallen to the British forces and that the way to a junction with the Russian troops and thence to Constantinople through the back door of Europe was now opened. Naturally there is rejoicing in London and in Petrograd, and among all the allies there is joy over the downfall of the city which was to have been the southern terminus of the great German railway from Berlin. And everywhere among the opponents of the Sentral powers there is belief that the new drive of the allies in Turkey-in-Asia will at least demand the sending of reinforcements to the Turks at a time when men and munitions can least well be withdrawn from northern fronts.

No one, however, need anticipate that because of the fall of Bagdad there will be speedy termination of the war or a collapse of the Germanic-Turkish campaign in the southeast. Strongly entrenched as are the Teutons, and with remarkable foresight as to what may under certain conditions come to pass, there is no doubt that they can withdraw, as they appear to have done to some extent in France, and, straightening their lines, again present a formidable front to the foe. There is no great optimism apparent in government cvircles of London or Paris as to the immediate collapse of the German offensive, though there remains a confident belief that by the process of attrition, as some English General said, or of nibbling as a French officer phrased it, in the end the enemy must be overcome.

There is no doubt that the shortage of food supplies all over the world is being felt more keenly in Germany than elsewhere, since there is little outside means of obtaining relief. The fall of Bagdad with the further advance on Constantinople and the potential shutting of the one open door will make matters still more serious for the Teutons, while to the allies there will besides the closing of this door be a moral effect which unquestionably be of value.

THE SPEAKERSHIP.

While the possession of the speakership of the house of representatives is politically important, because it brings to the winning party control of congressional patronage, it is not so great an individual honor and distinction as formerly it was considered. In an earlier day the speaker was a czar so far as legislation and the general conduct of affairs were concerned. He controlled the machinery, his hand was on the electric button, and it was only by the pressure of his finger that the wheels began to revolve.

A few years have changed all this. In the time of Cannon, membership on the committee of rules was lost to the speaker. In a following term he lost the power of committee designations, and instead of being the party leader this distinction came to the chairman of the ways and means committee, while the determination of party policy was the work of the caucus.

Under these circumstances the speakership is become little more than a personal distinction. No matter who is speaker, if the two parties in the effort to secure a workable house should partition the committees and the patronage, the speaker would have nothing more than any other member to say about it. It is probable that the Republicans will organize the house; but if they do not, or if the Democrats do not, both parties may think a coalition of responsible men better than the slender hold on power attained only as the price of bargaining with the irresponsible half dozen who hold the balance of power. There need be no surprise, therefore, if there is a compromise speaker and organization of the house.

The Extra Session.

As it would have been necessary in any event to call an extra session of the new congress, the President has done well to make the date early. This will give ample time to pass the appropriation bills which failed, before the expiration of the fiscal year; and congress will also be at hand, as it should be, to pass upon the grave questions which may arise affecting peace or war. There was never any doubt that Mr. Wilson, as he is bound to do, would consult congress before taking any irrevocable step. He already had secured the moral support of both houses for his policy of armed neutrality, and his announcement now that he has the power, and intends to use it, to take measures for the defence of our merchant marine, can be called usurpation by no fair-minded man. The plan to arm our merchantmen, and possibly to give them naval convoy, is not to be thought of as a complete averting of the submarine peril. It may even intensify it. But in taking this resolution, President Wilson unquestionably has the approval of the great majority of his countrymen.—[New York Mail.

COMMENTS OF THE PRESS

The Beauty of Force.

The idea of force is repellant to small comfortable lives, which, without knowing the fact, are dependent upon force. The dynamic impulses which is at least half their aspects produce the highest estheticism, are denied a place in the scheme of protected and sentimental existence.

Such a scheme is the mother of mediocrity. Its level is the flat of life. It admits of no decoration. It is without any color. It considers the price of pork chops and winds the clock—without even considering what the clock means, what a register of constructive and destructive force it is.

This scheme would be content with the immortality of a cabbage. It asks for nothing except avoidance. Not having a place for strength and courage, it hates these beautiful attributes and the force in which they manifest themselves.

A reincarnated Greek boxer looking upon the members of the Illinois legislature, seated in bicameral conclave and seeing the depressing physical aspects of costume and form, would faint, and the same legislature will not pass a boxing bill because boxing is ugly.—[Chicago Tribune (Ind. Rep.)

Out With Stone!

Of all these senators who have proved their unfitness for responsibility in a crisis, the most conspicuous misfit is Senator Stone. No longer can he be trusted with the honor and interests of the nation in dealing with foreign affairs. No longer can he be trusted with confidential information. Resignation from the chairmanship of the foreign relations committee and from the senate would be the most becoming act of his career. He owes the first to his country; he owes the second to the people of Missouri, who have honored him with the highest offices in their gift, and whose shame and repentance should be tempered by his retirement.

If Stone is not man enough to resign the chairmanship, he should be kicked out by the patriotic majority.—[St. Louis Post-Dispatch (Ind.)

Newspaper Circles.

Because of the increase in the cost of paper, London newspapers are trying to reduce their circulation. The Times announces that more than 50,000 "circles" have been formed by its subscribers, each circle undertaking to get along with a single copy of the paper. But patient, indeed, must be the man who can endure the delay while his next dor neighbor absorbs the latest intelligence from the front.—[Utica Press.

ELKS EASY PICKING?

Red Sox Have No Trouble in Winning From Antlered Five.

Last night the Red Sox five had an easy time of it defeating the Elks five again.

It looks as though the Elks team were easy picking for any five-man team. But you never can tell they may come back?

Red Sox:

Westcott	162	145	141	448
Hurley	169	160	203	532
Shaw	161	154	201	516
Hatcher	190	162	174	526
Gardner	169	156	171	496
Totals	851	777	890	2518

Team average—839 1-3.

Elks:

Graves	186	201	154	541
Matteson	153	167	140	460
Bates	170	137	122	429
Clark	143	155	136	434
Leal	192	167	135	494
Totals	844	827	687	2358

Team average—786.

Tournament Bowling at Oneonta Club.

Goodrich set a good pattern for his followers in the match with Boardman's team at the Oneonta club alleys last evening and as a consequence they won three straight. The scores:

Goodrich, capt.	214	160	201
Huntington	208	204	126
Elmore	127	156	196
Benedict	125	125	125
Totals	674	645	658
Boardman, capt.	148	144	190
Bates	125	125	125
Rose	119	116	111
Henderson	114	99	120
Totals	504	481	546

Y. M. C. A. Bowling.

Brown.				
Dibble	15	135	139	430
Disbrow	109	86	111	306
Thomas	135	130	144	409
Totals	426	349	367	1134
Harvard.				
St. John	133	116	126	402
Matthews	125	86	95	301
Craft	168	117	146	431
Totals	426	349	367	1134

The above is the result of the bowling at the Y. M. C. A. Monday night. The second game was won by Harvard when the tie was rolled off.

Pfeffer Nusse.

Mix and sift together a cupful of sugar, two cupfuls of flour, a half tablespoonful of cinnamon, a quarter tablespoonful of cloves, a quarter tablespoonful of mace, a quarter tablespoonful of nutmeg, a teaspoonful of baking powder. Add the grated rind of half a lemon, a quarter cupful of finely chopped citron and mix to a dough with three eggs. With buttered hands shape into small balls the size of a hickory nut. Place an inch apart on waxed or buttered paper and bake to a delicate brown in a hot oven. This recipe will make three dozen cakes.

Cutting Herbs.

The active principle of all plants is strongest just when the flowering process is going on, but before seeds are actually formed, and this is, therefore, the best time for cutting and drying herbs.

MOTHER AND DAUGHTER CONVICTED OF PLOT TO KILL THE PREMIER

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Mrs. Alice Wheeldon, her daughter, Mrs. Winfred Mason, and the latter's husband, Alfred George Mason, were found guilty Saturday of conspiracy to kill Premier Lloyd George and Arthur Henderson, member of the war council. Miss Harriet Ann Wheeldon, another daughter of Mrs. Wheeldon, who was tried on the same charge, was acquitted. The testimony offered by the crown showed that theyattempted to use darts tipped with a rare poison known only to certain tribes of South American Indians.

GEORGIA OWNED A SLAVE.

The State Acquired a Negro Hero and Treated Him Generously.

The state of Georgia was at one time the owner of a slave. Whether or not any other state ever owned a slave or slaves is not known, but certainly it is highly probable that no other state ever owned a slave and a railroad at the same time and worked them together, as was the case with the slave owned by Georgia.

The negro's name was Ransom, later called Ransom Montgomery by reason of the fact that before he was acquired by the state he was owned by a man named H. B. Y. Montgomery. He was purchased outright by the state through an act of the legislature of 1849 for having saved the Western and Atlantic railroad bridge over the Chattahoochee river from destruction by fire and later was placed upon a salary under the supervision of the "principal engineer" of the Western and Atlantic railroad.

Subsequently, when the war was over, Ransom, now a free man, was again remembered by the state. Although the state was practically bankrupt, an act of the general assembly, approved Aug. 3, 1868, authorized the superintendent of the state road to pay to Ransom from the treasury of the road the sum of $362.50 and also to provide him with a home during the rest of his life.—Atlanta Constitution.

Slang at Annapolis.

For certain slang expressions used by cadets I am indebted to a member of the corps. From this future admiral I learn that a "bird" or "wazzo" is a man or boy; that a "pap sheet" is a report covering delinquencies and that to "hit the pap" is to be reported for delinquency; that "steam" is marine engineering and to be "bilged for juice" is to fail in examinations in electrical engineering; to get an "unsat" or unsatisfactory mark, or even a "zip" or "swabo," which is a zero.

Cadets do not escort girls to dances, but "drag" them; a girl is a "drag," and a "heavy drag" or "brick" is an unattractive girl who must be taken to a dance. A "sleuth" or "Jimmylegs" is a night watchman, and to be "ragged" is to be caught. Mess hall waiters are sometimes called "mokes," while at other times the names of certain exalted dignitaries of the navy department or of the academy are applied to them.—Julian Street in Collier's Weekly.

Spoiling the Tobacco.

Winchcombe St. Peter, in Gloucestershire, began the cultivation of tobacco in England toward the end of the sixteenth century, and the inhabitants are said to have derived considerable profit from it until the trade was placed under restrictions. An entry in Pepys' Diary on Sept. 19, 1667, concerning the coming of a cousin of his to town proceeds: "She tells me how the life guard which we thought a little while since was sent down into the country about some insurrection was sent to Winchcombe to spoil the tobacco there, which, it seems, the people there do plant contrary to law and have always done and still been under force and danger of having it spoiled, as it hath been oftentimes, and yet they will continue to plant it. The place, she says, is a miserable poor place."—London Globe.

And Got Called Too.

"Pa, who was the first inventor?"
"Adam, my son."
"What did he invent?"
"The poor excuse."—Exchange.

Needed It.

As soon as Adam awoke and saw Eve he coined the word "trouble."—Chicago Herald.

It is usually not so much the greatness of our trouble as the littleness of our spirit that makes us complain.

She Got Acquainted.

She is a sociable little girl of six, but her first day at school gave her little opportunity to meet the other children she did not know. The second day she came home at recess with a black eye. She had fallen from the "teeter totter," at school. Her first thoughts were of the pain, but soon she surprised her mother by saying:

"As soon as I fell all the other children came right up. It was the quickest way of getting acquainted with all of them."—Indianapolis News.

Touching.

Jennie—Everything he touches seems to turn to gold. Jim—Yes; he touched me today for a sovereign.—London Opinion.

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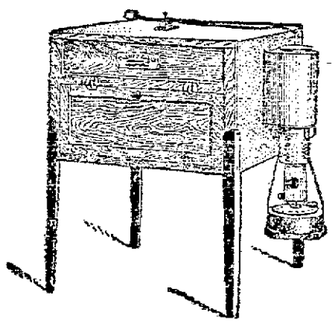

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LOCAL MENTION.

—Those who guaranteed the sale of tickets for the summer Chautauqua should remember the conference with Mr. Dalgety to be held at the parlors of The Oneonta this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

—Anyone having late magazines which they are willing to donate to the boys of Company G will kindly deliver them at the office of Fred N. VanWie, No. 14 Dietz street, on or before Wednesday of this week.

—Attorney A. J. McNaught of Stamford arrived in the city last night and is a guest at The Oneonta. He commences this morning at the county court chamber as commissioner with a jury the hearing of the Roundy case.

—Silver creek, which has been behaving handsomely for several months, caused a little trouble last evening near the D. & H. trestle. It is hoped that the channel will soon be cleared and the remainder of the spring freshet will be cared for without trouble.

—The Oneonta Sales company, having secured the agency for the Graham Brothers truck unit, call attention to the same in an advertisement in this issue. $550 f. o. b. factory is the price of the truck unit with cab top and choice of express or stake body; $350 and a Ford car will make a complete truck.

Meetings Today.

Centennial lodge 447, I. O. O. F., this evening at 7 o'c. Work, First degree. Special committee on entertainment will meet at 7 o'clock sharp.

The Ladies' Missionary society of the United Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. Wright, Main street, at 2.30 this afternoon.

Group 1, Bible Study class with Miss Gibson, "Valley View street, this evening at 7.30.

Regular meeting of Baraca class of the West End Baptist church at the home of J. W. Reynolds, 6 Luther street, with ladies.

The Home Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church will meet in the church parlors this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Ladies come prepared to tie comfortables. Professor Lynch will give a talk on Missions at 4.30. Those in arrears please pay dues.

The Daughters of Isabella will meet with Mrs. C. R. Brand and Mrs. Mary O'Dell at the home of Mrs. Brand, 16 Walling avenue, this evening at 8 o'clock.

Y. M. C. A. Shop Meetings.

There will be special meetings for men at the D. & H. shops during this week under the direction of the Railroad Y. M. C. A. Wednesday noon, at 12.30 in the machine shop and Friday noon in shop No. 25, the place for the regular meetings. The Rines Brothers will have charge of both meetings and the programs will consist of song and message. They are well and favorably known by men at the shops and these meetings will no doubt have a large attendance. They are open to all.

Woman's Club.

The monthly literary entertainment will be given this Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, under the direction of Miss Ada K. Smith. A musical program has been arranged and Miss Smith will give a talk upon nature study which will be illustrated by lantern slides.

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Real Estate at Auction.

House and lot at corner of Chestnut and Academy streets and two lots located on the east side of Clark street, will be sold at the Oneonta hotel on Saturday, March 17, at 1 p. m. advt tf

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TWENTY-NINE YEARS AGO

Oneonta and All the East Was in the Toils of the Big Blizzard.

"It isn't much like what it was 29 years ago," said an Oneonta man yesterday morning, and a little explanation on his part was necessary to bring to mind that yesterday was the anniversary of the big blizzard, which beginning on March 12, 1888, was also of a Monday. To the generation of most men and women now living it was of course the biggest thing in memory in the way of snowfalls, though there are those who recall an even more strenuous one, now almost a tradition, in the 40ties.

The man who spoke yesterday was right. Yesterday was in the main a day of sunny skies; there was very little snow about the city, and even on the hillsides or hilltops there was scarcely enough to remind one that winter was not yet over. Moreover, there was nothing in the signs of the times or the predictions of the weather man to indicate that the ensuing days would bring anything like the days of eighty-eight.

The big snow referred to actually begun on Sunday, but it was not until Monday morning and after the big flakes had fallen all night, that everybody woke up to the seriousness of the situation. Some trains were got out, but few of them reached their destination, and in some instances they were storm-bound for days. The big cut at Altamont was drifted 30 feet deep with snow, and there was a freight train in it with the engine sticking out at one end of the cut and the caboose at the other. Some passenger trains got out of Oneonta but returned, and on Monday one or two came in and added to the number of traveling men who, coming to the city for Sunday, were storm-bound at the hotels. As for resumption of traffic, it was not until Thursday that much was doing and not until Friday that trains were running with any regularity.

Bad as was the condition in Oneonta, country towns were even worse off. At that time there was a stage line from Cooperstown to Oneonta via Hartwick, Mt. Vision and Laurens, and it was four days before the stage or the mail could get through. During that whole period that valley and most of the other valleys hereabouts were shut off entirely from the world. Telephones were rare, and in general confined to toll stations at country stores, one in each village; and even this meager communication with the outside world was generally cut off by the wires and poles being down. As for schools, they were few indeed which were in operation on Monday or Tuesday, though a few were running again the latter days of the week.

It was in this storm, it will be remembered, that Senator Roscoe Conkling, being out in the storm while on his way to his office in New York city, caught a severe cold which ultimately through an attack of mastoiditis, cost him his life.

Altogether, when we are disposed to find fault about the weather, and to deplore the good old days, it is well enough to recall a few of the ancient instances, and by comparison to realize just how good a winter that of 1916-17 has really been, though of course there is time yet, even if there is little probability of it, for a storm as serious as that of 1888.

Free Baptist Prayer Meetings.

The Free Baptist prayer meetings Tuesday morning, from 9:30 until 10 o'clock, will be held at the following homes; E. H. Hanson, South Side; Mrs. Sarah Wells, 65 East street; James VanDusen, 74 Ford avenue; Gideon Borst, 289 Main street; Mrs. M. A. Mahon, 12 Valleyview street, and D. A. Smith, 257 Chestnut street.

Tuesday evening the Rines evangelists will give a song sermon. This is one of the party's special features.

First Baptist Cottage Prayer Meetings.

First Baptist cottage meetings will be held this evening from 7:30 to 8 o'clock, at the following homes: Mrs. E. B. Smith, 2 Norton avenue; Mrs. M. F. Fiske, 9 Ernst street; Mrs. E. J. Farley, 75 Chestnut street; Mrs. R. Snyder, 4 Gile avenue; Mrs. C. Hackett, South Side.

Births.

Born, March 10, to Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Edmunds, 14 Valleyview street, a son, Stanley Wendall.

TWIN KIDDIES.

Baby Marie Osborne at Strand Theatre Today.

In "Twin Kiddies," Marie Osborne of "Little Mary Sunshine" fame, plays a dual role, but that does not seriously affect Marie; neither will it matter much to her admirers. The little Miss just goes ahead with the work before her and gives it all the charm of innocent childhood as personified by this unusually bright and winsome four-year-old. An especially attractive play that all will enjoy. Bring the children.

Wanted—Any part of one hundred shares of the capital stock of the Wilber National bank of Oneonta, N. Y., at $575.00 per share, which is five points above its book value as per last government report. George I. Wilber, Oneonta, N. Y. Advt. tf

It does not pay to rent when you can buy one of best located lots in city for $300. We have some of best lots left on Miller plot, Chestnut street. Frank D. Miller, 198 Main street, phone 487-J. J. E. Tilley, 12 Reynolds avenue. advt tf

For Sale.

Two model 16 Buicks, cut down, just overhauled and in the best possible condition. Prices right. Oneonta Garage company. advt tf

Money to loan on real estate, mortgage security. Inquire at law office of Edson A. Hayward, 19 Elm street. advt tf

ON ST. PATRICK'S EVE.

St. Mary's Church Has Attractive Evening's Entertainment Planned.

Tickets are on sale at 25 cents each or one peck of potatoes for an attractive entertainment to be given St. Patrick's day eve in the Ronan Bros. annex on Windsor avenue and the indications are that the seating capacity will be sold ere the night arrives. Those desiring to secure reserved seats may do so at St. Mary's rectory at 10 cents additional. The entertainment commences at 8 o'clock sharp and closes at 10.30 o'clock.

The program is divided into four parts. The first opens with The Quarrel in which George A. Daly and Miss Katherine G. Carless will sing and conclude with "There's a Rose in Old Erin that's Blooming for Me!" It will also introduce The Widow Cummiskey with Mr. Costello taken by Walter Morrison and Mrs. Cummiskey will be impersonated by Miss Mary McGuinness. Part one will conclude with The Irish School, in which Oliver Carson will be the professor, Dr. Martin Donlin the superintendent of schools and Miss Catherine McNee as inspector of hygienics. The following are enrolled as students and will do stunts: Masters Edward LaReau, Frank Walsh, Walter Burke, Richard Purcell, John Johnson, Anthony Lance and Kenneth Thorne.

Part two is to be a clever playlet, Won by a Majority of One, with Joseph A. McCarthy as Norcross, a politician; Vincent Farone, as Ward Hecler; Charles Buck, as Henry Mason; Anna LaReau as Alice Hall and Mary Fallon as Mary, the maid.

In Part three the following will appear as courtiers: Masters Edward LaReau, Burke Nugent, Thomas Hurley, Frank Walsh, Henry Vallee, Joseph Kerwin and John Spencer and the Misses Irene Brand, Marion Ciesielski, Mary Spencer, Mary Dupuis, Gertrude Kenney, Andrea Fallon, Elizabeth LaReau.

The last part will be a musical comedy, Molly Carey's Surprise Party, with the following cast: Molly Carey, Katherine G. Carless; Mother Carey, Bessie Gilmartin; Father Carey, Lawrence Kenney; Lanty Shawn, George A. Daley; Terrance Holloran, Hugh Diamond.

The grand finale will embrace It's a Long Way to Tipperary, Star Spangled Banner and America.

It Pays to Advertise.

Often inquiry is made if it pays to advertise the loss of articles more or less prized. The answer most frequently given is "Yes, they are usually recovered if found by an honest person." Mattress Crandall recently lost a gold watch valued at $45 and inserted a small want advt. in The Star. Yesterday it was brought to this office by Mrs. Jeremiah Whaley and restored to Mr. Crandall, he manifesting his appreciation to the finder.

Frank Kierns of Albany on a visit to Oneonta last week lost about the streets a locket which had been given him and which was highly prized. It was returned to this office and has been forwarded to Mr. Kierns, William Covern of 100 East street having been the finder.

If you lose anything better try The Star columns.

Miss Hayes Gives Recital.

Miss Irene Hayes, teacher of music, gave a piano recital to the younger members of her class on Saturday, March 10, at her home at 29 Church street. Each selection was rendered most admirably. At the conclusion of the program, games and dancing were enjoyed by all, after which delicious refreshments were served.

Clionians Entertain.

Portlandville, March 12. — The Clionian Juniors of the Oneonta Normal school entertained their seniors last evening at the Portlandville house, with an exceptionally fine chicken dinner. There were 46 in the party.

"OUT OF THE WRECK."

Story from Real Life, With Kathlyn Williams at Oneonta Theatre.

As one of the leading emotional actresses of the screen, Kathlyn Williams, latest star to be seen on the Paramount program, but, who needs no introduction to the followers of the photodrama, will be seen in her first production at the Oneonta theatre today, in "Out of the Wreck," a story taken from a page of real life. Miss Williams is not only seen as the leader of fashionable society, but as a girl of the slums. The added feature today is a Paramount Klever comedy, a sure antidote for the blues. Three performances daily, 10 cents.

For sale—Fifty shares of the capital stock of the Second National bank of Cooperstown. In order to effect a quick sale will sell at twenty points below its book value, as per last government report. George I. Wilber, Oneonta, N. Y. Advt. tf

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We carry every record catalogued, mail orders promptly filled. Call or write for complete catalogue. Needles 5c per hundred. Fred N. VanWie, 14 Dietz street. Advt. tf

Fashion Shop has opened with new spring garments, suits, coats, waists, dresses, skirts, petticoats, raincoats; new goods arriving every day. 150 Main street, over Slade's. advt 2t

Biwa is the name of a beautiful lake in Japan also the finest tea grown in Japan. At your grocer. advt tf

Ira S. Sweet, practical bonesetter, at the Windsor, Oneonta, April 2, Eagle, Norwich, April 4. advt tf

Poultry Wanted—March 9 to 14. Hens and chickens, 20c. J. H. Potter, 71 Maple street. advt 3t

Three chairs are now in operation at Ogden's Barber shop, Y. M. C. A. building. advt 5t

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Salad dressing large bottle .	10c
VanCamp's Westershire sauce ...	10c
Corn starch lb pkg ...	5c
White puff baking soda, pgk	5c
Pint jar sweet mixed pickles	10c
Ferndell tomato puree two cans	25c
Four ounce pure vanilla bottle	25c
Shelled popcorn 3 lbs	25c
Sailor brand greyfish, 3 cans .	25c
Klipnockle wild dandelions can	20c
Pride Rome Sauerkraut, can	15c
Choice apples peck ...	25c
Fresh cranberries, qt	10c
16 juicey navel oranges	25c
Old Fort coffee lb	20c
A good Jap tea, lb .	32c
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PERSONALS.

J B Gilbert made a business trip to Albany Monday

Miss A. Caswell has ret... from Boston and New York

Mrs G F Koehler of this city ... in Binghamton for a few days

R B Craft of Roxbury was a business visitor in the city yesterday

Mr and Mrs. C. J A...strong of Milford were ... here ... evening

Charles M. M... of ... was in H... business

Mr and Mrs P H ... ... were ... the Oneonta

Mrs Fred Ferris ... street is spending a ... days with friends in ...

Miss ... ... 44 Elm street is spending ... with her mother in Middleburgh

S B ... who has been ill since January 6 is ... to ... but ...

Mrs Anna ... of Worcester is the guest of ... Mrs J W M... 20 Draper street

Lee D VanW... esq was in Cooperstown yesterday on business before a special term of the supreme court

Miss Margaret Carey of Cooperstown is spending a few days with Mrs Thomas ... on Fair street

J Francisco of the ... and Delaware railroad was in the city on business errands for the company yesterday

Mrs Kilmer and son Home spent Sunday in Binghamton with Mrs Kilmer's sister M... S ... who ... seriously ill

H P Taylor who has been at Battle Creek Mich the past two years for his health returned home ... much improved

Miss H D Pine after spending three weeks in New York is with Miss A Caswell as trimmer in her millinery store

Miss Anna Noonan of Schenectady returned home Monday after spending the week-end with Miss F Handron 101 Elm street

Mrs W S France of Cobleskill who had been visiting at the home of Arson France on Lower Chestnut street returned home Monday

Mrs George W ... is seriously ill with heart trouble at her home on South Side Her many friends hope for her speedy recovery

Mr and Mrs Foster Camp returned yesterday to their home in New Berlin after spending a week with their daughter Mrs Charles Foster at 91 Center street

Mr and Mrs C H Parish of 41 Chestnut street left yesterday for a four weeks sojourn in Schenectady where Mr Parish is for some time employed in a store of the city

Mrs Margaret Tompkin of Franklin who had been spending a few days with her daughters Mrs John A Sobers and Mrs S W ... of this city returned to her home Monday

Mr and Mrs L R Ferguson of 24 Pine street who for some time had been quite seriously ill following an attack of the grip were both improved in health yesterday. Their many friends will hope for their early and complete recovery

Dr Amelia Augur of Endicott who for two weeks had been caring for her sister-in-law Mrs F Lynn Augur of Milford was in ... yesterday on her way home Mrs Augur who had been ill ... with complications is ... recovery

Resolutions of Respect

Davenport Tent No ... Knights of the Maccabees at ... meeting passed the following resolutions

Whereas In the wisdom ... Heavenly Father we ... Davenport tent No ... mourn the loss of our brother William Harvey therefore be it

Resolved That as we are bereft of a kind and faithful member and deeply feel our loss that we properly drape our lodge rooms in mourning that we as a society do hereby tender the bereaved family our sincere sympathy in this time of affliction that as he had been an ... member we cherish his name in our memory

Resolved That these resolutions be entered upon the records of the tent and a copy presented to the family of the deceased also that ... ... The Oneonta Star

C. A. Fisher
...
...

Card of Thanks

The widow mother ... and brothers of the late W... H... desire to return their heartfelt thanks to the many friends ... especially those at Davenport South Side and in the city and especially to the members of the Maccabees at Davenport of the choir of the Methodist Episcopal church and of the ... class at Cooperstown Junction and Emmons for the sympathy and kindness shown ... many ways ... thoughtfully ... recent ... bereavement

Thanks to Many Friends

Davenport March ... — We ... to express ... the many tokens of sympathy and esteem that have been ... during Mr Tutts illness especially ... for the ... flowers and ... from ... of ... town and from neighbors

Mr and Mrs Calvin ...

Give me 24. This is Wellman Have you any more of that bright clean coal that you sent me last month? Then please fill my bin as it was the most sat... ... have had in a long time and we want to start the new year right Advt tf

We want potatoes. If you have them before you sell come and see us Parish & Keenan, 6 Broad street, Oneonta. advt tf

Fine job printing at The Herald office.

BIG TREAT FOR COMPANY G

Men at Garrison Post Dine on Canadarago Lake Perch Generously Contributed by Mr and Mrs. C. M. Marble.

Garrison March 1_ — One of the ... treats the men in Company G ... enjoyed since they began their ... of service ... New York aqueduct more than ... was the ... ... Captain Parish and the ... at the Gar... post ... The ... Mr and Mrs M. Marble ... of Oneonta

... Not an ... of the dispos... of the con... highly d... ... Parish ... ... cold room ... fish—and ... more than 100 of them ... but a very ... the finishing ... a good ... liberal amount of butter ... Captain Parish to ... and at once ... chops which were to be a part ... meal were relegated to ... a time when more appetizing dish was not ...

If Mr and Mrs Marble could have ... they could have overheard the expressions of delight from each ... when the ... were served ... bread and butter ... the usual ... dishes ... of one of the meats ... customary and which al... frequently causes ... to which kind next will be served ... without a doubt felt ... at least for their thoughtful generosity As a fitting expression of their gratitude the men immediately after mess signed a "Thank You" which will be forwarded to Mr and Mrs Marble by Captain Parish

There is ... selfishness among men on such duty as that being done by the Oneonta guardsmen than is usually the case. Not a box or package continuing dainties prepared by mother wife or some young lady who ... on one of the boys or at least finds no opposition on his part ... seems to be her desire reaches ... it once loses its individuality and is shared generously with others by its recipient It is a sight which the sender of such ... would relish if they could see ... the undoing or unpacking of packages from home This is not due to any lack on the part of the state to provide ample for the needs of the ... simply because the ... from home the pleasures and comforts of which the men for the time being are denied

Little ... is ... shown among the men They are a good natured big hearted lot always ready to do their part and usually a little bit more if in particular it will help some one who for the ... is unable to keep up his end so to speak. Army life is not conducive to the blues What ... prove unpleasant or undesirable to one affords opportunity to the rest to ... considered ... is not tolerated ... such an attitude ... usually not ... able to carry through ...

The boys will be ... to return home but are not chafing over the slowness ... the fellow who ... on the ... and watches ... their homes ... business ... shoves his hands down in his pockets ... slouches off down the street with ... on that some one else is doing his duty for him ... to that individual ... the fellow ... the company appears on the street ... home cowardly hisses from ... He is the fellow too who ... and ... during their ... stripes and their ... service should such ...

Camp Chatter.

Th... ... seems everlasting

... the boys are wondering who ... the water

... the cooks ... one of the ... of ... life

Put ... sausage with a ... of syrup in the morning ... and visit to the K... a whisper

... ... the boys ... and ... how ... Harry ... ... those ...

... ... the ... with ... and a ... not ... stolen ... whisper simply ... of ... course

But the text ... W... e Pfluenstock ... for having ... ... previous correspondence because he says I don't ... ... all the windows in the quarters occupied by Lieut Belfield and his men at Cortlandville

If whiskers are a requisite for a commission in the army General Sergeant Ernest Leroy Burrows soon ... will be ... the men on duty at Sprout Brook a ... farewell

But if we were asked for our opinion, which, of course, probably wouldn't be rated even at par by the sergeant, we would suggest that clerical attire supplant his uniform.

We don't wish to give Walt Tallmadge, the trusty musician and messenger at Lieut Belfield's post, undue publicity in these columns but we must make mention of a handsome medal, unique in design, which other members of the company bestowed upon him when it was learned that he was ... being furloughed to the ... reserve. Embossed on the medal are the letters "B E C" the exact meaning of which seems obscure but is interpreted by the men to ... their individual ideas of Walt's ... accomplishments

Paul S. Collier Weds.

Announcements have been received by Oneonta friends of the marriage of Paul S. Collier formerly secretary of the Oneonta Chamber of Commerce and secretary of the New York State Retail Lumber Dealers' association with central offices in Rochester and Miss Fannie Koch, daughter of Mr and Mrs G H Koch which was solemnized at Davenport, Iowa the home of the bride, on March 6. Mr and Mrs Collier will be at home at Rochester after May 1 Mr. Collier's many friends in this city will extend heartiest congratulations and best wishes for long and happy wedded lives

Waterville Hop Market

The market conditions seem to have livened up a bit in the past week Dealers are receiving a few inquiries and prices appear somewhat firmer There is a very limited supply of hops in Waterville so that very little real business is anticipated —[Times

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ONEONTA'S CODE of MOTOR MANN...

City ordinances are not necessarily repressive. They are ... of aid in the general movement of congested traffic They are ... motorists collectively and are of service to the driver individ... given automobile, thus, probably would be smashed to pieces were it not for the general protection provided by laws pr... ma... benefit of all.

DON'T, therefore, be in ignorance of traffic regulations.

Men of affairs do not eat with their fingers nor elevate th... drawing rooms, so why revert to the custom of prehistoric ... use of like manners at the wheel of the automobile? Moto... impress with their good manners in home, office or club se... their breeding to the four winds when they drive They de... through traffic crowding They frighten pedestrians, and ... their horns long and loud when a slight warning would ... Their lack of good balance and care adds to the possibility ... and accidents come like lightening strokes

DON'T, therefore, have two codes of courtesy—one for ... and one for home, club or office; you are in company when your car in public streets

Courteous driving provides a definite insurance protecti... otherwise cannot be bought Accidents and wrecks will ... upon the ordinarily-driven automobile Statistics show th... majority of mishaps result from speeding or from various ... of carelessness or traffic rule violations No record exists ... railway train having left its track to hit a motor car Th... automobiles must first get in front of trains to be hit add... to the deduction that the more careful and mannerly the ... the more certain is the atmosphere of protection and safety ... rounds himself with

DON'T, therefore, be an obstacle in the path of the progr... mobile good driving.

It is the belief of this organization that any motorist wh... these suggestions a part of his daily life will voluntarily ... practice of many minor infractions that are common to auto... such as glaring headlights improper parking, unfair conduc... try highways, and so on.

Knowledge of traffic rules one code of manners and a ... sure to make of the motor car a still greater instrument ... will, this organization believes operate with any driver to eli... courtesy from his association with the wheel and thus add to ... safety of himself those near to him, and of the public in g... ne...

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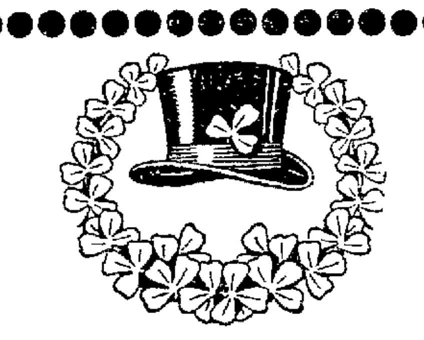

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TO RENT—House 25 London avenue. Convenient to shops. In good repair. Inquire M. A. Fraser, 58 Main street.

HOUSE TO RENT—After March 15, 67 River street. Inquire of John Lent, 65 River street.

TO RENT—Flat over Judd's store, range, bath and lights, $18.00. Modern heated apartment, $30.00. Cedar street, furnace, bath and lights, $15.00. Columbia street, $13.00. Dwelling 231 Chestnut street, $18.00. Flat with bath and range, $12.00. Other flats from $5 to $13.00. Keenan & Wells.

FOR RENT—37 Grand street, new flats, six or seven rooms complete. Inquire Boston store, 144 Main street.

TO RENT—Flat with all modern improvements in the Butts' block. Inquire at Butts' store.

FOR RENT—April 1, store and fixtures, 57 River street, has always been money-making business; also flat over store with improvements. Inquire J. H. Cross, 58 River street. Phone 837-J2.

TO RENT—March 15, lower flat, 15 Columbus street. Phone 310-J, afternoons.

HOUSE TO RENT—31 Gault avenue, eight rooms, bath, stationary range, garden and barn. Inquire on premises.

TO RENT—At once, half of house, Maple street. Inquire 56 Maple street. Phone 588-J

TO LET—Second floor with all improvements. Inquire 75 Maple street. Phone 832-J.

TO RENT—House with modern improvements, 63 West Broadway. Inquire 185 River street or phone 11-J.

TO RENT—Suite of rooms to a small family. Dr. J. P. Elliott.

FLAT TO RENT—Inquire 369 Main street.

TO RENT—Six room apartment, rent reasonable. Phone 883-W.

TO RENT—Half of double house at 68 Maple street. Inquire on premises.

TO RENT—Part of double house at 31 Hudson street. Phone 472-J.

TO RENT—Farm without stock or tools. Inquire Martin Miller, 83 Center street.

FOR RENT—Half of double house at 352 Main street. Range, bath and electric lights. Inquire 354 Main street.

TO RENT—One seven room flat, vapor heated, all modern improvements. Phone 875-R.

TO RENT—Half a double house, $10. Phone 1048 J. or call Columbia street store.

TO RENT—House at 10 Eighth street. Inquire at 43 Hudson street.

TO RENT—Lower flat, 46 Miller street, all improvements. Inquire George I. Winans, 35 Main street.

TO RENT—House at 26 Cherry street, upper and lower flat. All new paint and paper. Inquire 47 Ford avenue.

TO RENT—House 21 Forest avenue. Inquire S. H. Close, Municipal building. Phone 27-W.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—House and lot just off the Corporation. Price $800. Inquire C. H. McCarthy, Milford, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Six room bungalow. Improvements. 23 Brook street.

FOR SALE—At a sacrifice, direct from owner, new house, all modern improvements, floors and interior finished with oak. Phone 725-W.

FOR SALE—Twenty-five acre farm, good buildings. Inquire of Frank Morrell, upper West street.

NEARLY NEW HOUSE, barn, large lot and extra lot, centrally located, leaving town, bargain $2,600. $500 cash. A. B. C., care Star.

FOR SALE—A quantity of household goods at No. 10 Cherry street, Monday and Tuesday, March 12-13. Private sale.

FOR SALE—Stove with water front, or will exchange for stove with reservoir. Address X, care Star.

FOR SALE—A Frick portable sawmill, cable drive, quick receding head blocks, taper movement, three good saws, blower, gang saw, good belts, 28 H. P. boiler, 25 H. P. engine, all in good condition; reason for selling, am going out of the business. E. R. Stanton, No. 1 R. D., Worcester, N. Y.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Nice pair six-year-old siddings, weight about twenty-four hundred, every way right; also 60 tons of timothy hay. Horace Harrison, R. D. No. 2, Oneonta, trolley stop 12.

FOR SALE—Double house, 89 Fair street, in good repair, up and down stair flats of six rooms each, with toilet and bath, $2,500. Inquire 5 Hickory street. Phone 512-W.

STOP! LOOK! LISTEN!—Ten acres choice land, nearly new house, two barns, three hen houses, city water in house, water in pasture, good fruit, just off corporation in Laurens village. N. S. Sargent, Laurens, N. Y.

FOR SALE—First class rabbit and fox hound, one carriage, one jump-seat buckboard, one light horse harness, two heavy horse harness. Cheap, if sold at once. Inquire, B. L. Platt, Oneonta, R. D. No. 3.

FOR SALE—Fifty-five acres flat land near Colliers, a good portion fine potato, corn or wheat ground. Quick sale, $900. W. W. Gaskins, 12 Broad street.

ONE CENT A WORD

FOR SALE—No. 10 and 11 Brook street, Oneonta, lot 82 x 128 feet, double house, 6 room apartments with hen house and store house. Price $3,300. W. H. Murdock, Fly Creek, N. Y.

FOR SALE—At a bargain price, seven-year old bay mare, excellent roader. Concord rubber tired wagon, cutter, harness, robes and blankets, acetylene gas plant, including pipes and fixtures. L. C. Colburn, Milford, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Many good horses in the city at moderate prices. Good farms for sale. W. W. Gaskins, 12 Broad street.

SAWDUST FOR SALE—One cent a bushel. Andrew Todd, South side.

FOR SALE—New House, West End, all improvements, large lot, $2,800. Dandy house, modern improvements, Fair street, $2,600. New house, modern improvements, Brook street, $2,400. New house, all modern improvements, Spruce street, $3,100. Eight room house and barn, River street, two acres land, $2,200. Seven room house, improvements, Fourth street, $2,[illegible]. Fred N. Van Wie, 14 Dietz street. Phone 21-J.

FOR SALE—Five acre farm at 195 River street. Splendid house, barn and henhouse, all improvements, lots of fruit and berries of all kinds. J. S. Smith, 44 Elm street.

FARMS FOR SALE—Pine Grove Stock farm near Edson Corners, 190 acres, large new basement barn, also, new house, good water, valuable timber lot, productive land under good state of cultivation. Springbrook Stock Farm—About 1 1-4 miles from Portlandville and about half mile from state road, 150 acres, fine buildings, good water, good fruit, productive land under good state of cultivation. These farms must be sold to close an estate. Easy terms. Address Charles J. Armstrong, Admr., estate of M. H. Tucker, Milford, N. Y., or Albert P. Tucker.

FOR SALE—The finest camp house on Goodyear lake. H. E. Swart, Windsor Lodge.

FOR SALE—Two family flat, 16 and 18 Brook street, modern improvements. Address E. G. Weaton, Quaker street.

FOR SALE—A feed business with a large trade. Consider house in Oneonta in exchange. Charles N. Murdock, 7 Ford avenue, Oneonta N. Y.

FOR SALE—On account of failing health I offer my trucking business established 16 years ago, for sale. S. B. Borst, 402 Main street.

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HORSE FOR SALE—Bargain. Inquire H. W. Hyland, Boston store, 144 Main street, Oneonta, N. Y.

FOR SALE OR RENT—House at 23 Grand street. J. A. Dewar.

FOR SALE—Two family house, Valley View street, $1,600. Two family house Main street, $4,100. Two family house High street, $2,900. Seven room house with all modern improvements Tilton avenue $3,500. Seven room house with all modern improvements Ford avenue, $3,900. Nearly new eight room house with extra lot near Normal school, $4,700. House with good barn, extra lot, Center street, $1,700. Extra large new house on Maple street. Charles N. Murdock, 7 Ford avenue, Oneonta, N. Y. Phone 7-R.

FOR SALE—At a bargain price, on $500 payment, balance to suit purchaser, the Silvernail place at 5 Reynolds avenue, which is a very central location. It has a garden, place for chickens, slate roof, seven rooms and bath, furnace, gas range, coal range and gas lights. Charles N. Murdock, 7 Ford avenue, Oneonta, N. Y.

I HAVE SEVERAL good bargains in real estate in all parts of the city. Easy terms. If interested, call A. J. Rockbont, phone 211-J.

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And utility work taken care of. 55 Chestnut street, Oneonta, N. Y. Phone 1006.

WANTED—One five hundred gallon underground gasoline tank, with pump, state price. Address W. H. Roberts, Davenport Center, N. Y.

WANTED—Second hand sewing machine. Address Z, care Star.

MEN HEALTH demands clean quarters, perfect sanitation. Kill all vermin, germs and others with Pratt's Disinfectant. Marsh, The Druggist.

WANTED—Good second hand pool table. Price must be cheap. Address D. S. Corlew, Box 703, East Worcester.

WANTED—$1,500 on No. 1 security. Address W, care Star.

MARKET PRICE paid for old gold. Levey, 234 Main street.

WANTED—Old false teeth. Don't matter if broken. I pay $1.00 to $5.00 per set. Mail to L. Mazer, 2007 S. Fifth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Will send cash by return mail.

FURNISHED ROOMS.

FURNISHED ROOMS — For light housekeeping. 5 Reynolds avenue.

TO RENT—Furnished room, $1.50. 8 Spring street.

FURNISHED FLAT—To rent with all modern improvements. Inquire of Lyle Ellis, post office building.

DESIRABLE FURNISHED ROOM—Steam heat, electric lights. First door over City Bakery, 289 Main street.

TO RENT—Suite of rooms on first floor, all improvements. Central location. Dr. J. P. Elliott.

FOR RENT—Single rooms and rooms for light housekeeping, at 324 Main street.

FURNISHED FLAT—To rent for housekeeping. 14 Center street.

TO RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. $3.00 a week, 14 Center street.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Friday night, Chestnut street, a pair of nose glasses. Finder please return to Star office and receive reward.

LOST—Ring of four or five keys, probably on Main, Elm or Maple street. Reward for return to Saunders' book store.

LOST—A bunch of keys, in D. & H. yards or near coal pockets. Finder please leave with G. W. Sullivan, general foreman of bridges.

LOANS.

LOANS MADE on good security. Levey, 234 Main street.

MONEY TO LOAN—On improved city real estate. Inquire of Owen C. Becker.

BOARDERS and ROOMERS WANTED

WANTED—Roomers and boarders, 6 High street. All rooms warm.

ONE CENT A WORD

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Apprentice girl in millinery department of Judd's store.

WANTED—Married man without children, wife to assist with housework, man to work on farm; also married man to live in tenement house and work by the year. F. W. Lewis, superintendent Milford Farms, Unadilla. Bell Phone 2-F2.

WANTED—Man to work on farm by the month, must be good milker. M. M. Jewell, Maryland, N. Y. Phone 27-F5.

WANTED—Lady to do typewriting and office assistant. Reference required. N. B., care Star.

WANTED—Married man by the year on farm. Must be experienced. Reference required. Write or phone Paul Tilsen, Morris, N. Y.

WANTED—Office assistant and stenographer. Address stenographer, care Star office.

WANTED—A single man or man and wife to work on dairy farm. Good wages paid to the right party. Please give references. George F. Rich, Hobart.

WANTED—Man and wife without children, to assist with farm and housework. Steady position and good wages. James Robertson, Bloomville.

WANTED—Single man by year to help with farm work. Steady work and good pay. James Robertson, Bloomville.

WANTED—Man for farm work and woman for housework, good wages for good help. R. W. McArthur, Bloomville.

WANTED—Thoroughly competent, experienced stenographer, man or woman. Give references and salary wanted. Address International Milk Products company, Cooperstown, N. Y.

GIRLS WANTED—To operate knitting machines. Beginners taught and paid while learning. Good pay and steady work guaranteed. Gloversville Knitting Co.

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WANTED—Machine operators. Light, clean work, good pay while learning. Buckley Bros. Co.

WORK WANTED.

WANTED—Rubbers, rubber boots and overshoes to repair and tap with vulcanizer. W. S. Foord, 42 Main street.

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FARMING AND LIVE STOCK

SELECTING BROOD SOWS.

Points That Indicate Fecundity and Good Constitution.

Prospective brood sows should be selected from the best animals in the herd, always taking those whose mothers are gentle, good milkers and prolific, writes a correspondent of the American Agriculturist. The sow should have a smoother forehead and lighter, finer neck than the male. The forehead should be broad between the eyes, the throat clean and trim, neck moderately thin, shoulders smooth and deep, the back wide and straight and deeply fleshed with ribs well sprung; sides straight and deep, hams deep and well rounded, body rather long, but compact, and legs moderately short and strong. Select those with wide, deep chests and well sprung ribs, as it indicates strong constitution, a very important essential with good brood sows. It is not the fat, plump sows of the herd that make the best mothers, but rather the long bodied more vigorous ones which show quality and have good grazing and feeding powers. Brood sows should not be overrefined

The successful breeder will never change an old sow for a young gilt until he is obliged to. The former will give two good litters annually, one early in the spring and the other in September or October. Handle the brood sows carefully at all times and keep them as gentle as possible. The picture shows mature brood sow with litter.

and delicate, as it is apt to lead to a weak constitution and possibly sterility.

Previous to farrowing the main demands upon a brood sow are those for building up new tissue. This means there should be plenty of protein in the ration, secured by feeding nitrogenous feeds. A few days previous to farrowing change to a sloppy feed and bulky in character, like bran, and do not feed overgenerously. This will assist in avoiding constipation, so likely to occur at farrowing time and soon after. A box of charcoal, salt and ashes should be kept where they can get at it at all times summer or winter. A farmer who gives sows access to this mixture and varies the ration occasionally, providing sufficient protein, will not be troubled with sows eating their pigs.

Immediately after farrowing feed the sow sparingly. The first day or two give her nothing but a thin slop. Then *a little more nutritive food can be* given, like skimmilk along with equal parts of cornmeal and middlings. By the time the pigs are two weeks old the sow should receive a full ration, practically all she will eat up clean, for the demands upon her at this time, if she has a good litter, are heavy, and there is nothing more important in the swine business than giving the youngsters a good start.

A good breeding sow should be kept in the herd as long as she gives good service, which may be six to eight years.

Remedy For Cowpox.

Cowpox is a highly infectious disease and must run its course. It is easily spread among animals, and even man may become infected if the discharge gets into a fresh wound on the hands, in which case regular vaccination, the same as for smallpox, results. Bathe udder twice a day with a warm 5 per cent solution of creolin and when dry apply a little carbolated vaseline. Affected animals should be milked and cared for after the others to avoid infecting healthy ones. The hands should also be washed in the creolin solution after working with them. It is well to separate the diseased ones entirely from the healthy to prevent spreading.

Either Ear Will Do.

"I want to buy a piece for my daughter," announced a woman, bustling into a music store one day.

"What grade? For how old a person? How advanced is your daughter?" asked the clerk.

"Oh, Myrtle's only fourteen, but she can play anything, no matter how hard it is, when once she gets it by the ear!"—New York Times.

Rest For the Cow.

To give the calf and its mother a fair chance a cow should be carefully dried off six weeks before the date of calving. This allows her to feed well her unborn calf and to get ready for her period of milk production.—Wisconsin Agricultural College.

LIVE STOCK NOTES.

Be very careful in the selection of the sire for your pigs. Use the best pure bred of your desired breed within reach. Good blood goes a long way to make for success in litters.

Study your horses. Some require more roughage than others to keep them in condition.

Keep the ewes very thrifty by watchful, careful feeding.

Be sure that your ewes do not crowd through narrow doors. Crowding or jamming may kill an unborn lamb and possibly the ewe.

If a pig has a cough give it some oilmeal in its feed. Oilmeal is a laxative, and it will often help a slight cold.

Keep the colts well bedded and clean. A manure laden colt is a rebuke to its owner.

Clear, Peachy Skin Awaits Anyone Who Drinks Hot Water

Says an inside bath, before breakfast helps us look and feel clean, sweet, fresh.

Sparkling and vivacious—merry, bright, alert—a good, clear skin and a natural, rosy, healthy complexion are assured only by pure blood. If only every man and woman could be induced to adopt the morning inside bath, what a gratifying change would take place. Instead of the thousands of sickly, anaemic-looking men, women and girls, with pasty or muddy complexions; instead of the multitudes of "nerve wrecks," "rundowns," "brain fags" and pessimists we should see a virile optimistic throng of rosy-cheeked people everywhere.

An inside bath is had by drinking each morning, before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and ten yards of bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour fermentations and poisons, thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

These subject to sick headache, biliousness, nasty breath, rheumatism, colds; and particulary those who have a pallid, sallow complexion and who are constipated very often, are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store which will cost but a trifle, but is sufficient to demonstrate the quick and remarkable change in both health and appearance, awaiting those who practice internal sanitation. We must remember that inside cleanliness is more important than outside, because the skin does not absorb impurities to contaminate the blood while the pores in the thirty feet of bowels do.

HERE'S VERY HIGHEST HIGH COST OF LIVING

Thirty-seven Gamecocks, Worth $10,000, Sent by Court to Hospital Soup Pots.

The doom of thirty-seven gamecocks, estimated to be worth $10,000, captured in a recent raid in Pittsburgh, when several prominent business and professional men were arrested, has been sealed by the court. Instead of living again to "don the spurs" in a fighting pit, they will be relegated to the soup pots of Pittsburgh hospitals.

In an effort to save the game birds from an ignominious death Attorney George W. Allen asked Judge Shafer to grant an injunction restraining the Humane Society of Western Pennsylvania, in whose custody the birds now are, from killing them, citing in his petition an act of 1883 which authorized the sale of gamecocks captured in raids.

Attorney Allen stated that he had an offer of purchase for the birds and was willing to buy them from the Humane society at the regular market rates for dressed fowl. Judge Shafer, however, refused to grant the injunction.

Among the cocks captured are several valued at $1,000 apiece. One of the birds which will grace a soup pot was brought from Cuba by a prominent attorney at a cost of $1,200, which is a big price even considered in the light of the present day cost of chicken.

N. B.—Sporting experts are of the opinion that anybody who is tough enough to eat a gamecock can eat scrap iron, and anybody else who tries it will be a fit subject for a hospital.

Wrinkled Clothing.

Let any wrinkled garment hang for twenty-four hours, if possible, before pressing it, for many of the wrinkles will hang out. Taffeta is really injured by each pressing, and, although taffeta does wrinkle easily, some of the wrinkles will come out if the garment is smoothed and carefully hung away. After each pressing, too, taffeta is just so much more liable to wrinkles, another reason for pressing it as little as possible.

When chiffon is badly wrinkled steam it, then hang it on a padded hanger, stuff it with tissue paper and dry it in front of a fire or radiator. To steam it fill a big pan full of boiling water and hold the chiffon garment over it until it is damp with steam.

Practical Laundry Slips.

For a few cents you can have a salesman's manifold order book containing carbon paper. Use this when you make out your laundry slip and you will have one copy for yourself.

NEIGHBORLY ADVICE

Freely Given by an Oneonta Citizen.

When one has suffered tortures from a bad back and found relief from the aches and pains, that person's advice is of untold value to friends and neighbors. The following neighborly advice comes from an Oneonta resident.

R. S. Baldwin, passenger and freight conductor on U. & D. R. R., 5 Chester street, Oneonta, says: "I suffered considerably from attacks of backache, caused by the jolting and jarring I received through my work. A box of Doan's Kidney Pills has always given me relief. This medicine has put me in a strong, healthy condition and for quite a while now, I haven't had any need of a kidney medicine."

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TIME TABLE

Commencing Sunday, Sept. 24, 1916.

Trains will arrive and leave Oneonta as follows:

NORTH BOUND.

		Arrive	Depart
303	Morning Express ..	6:15 a m	6:20 a m
315	Saratoga Express ..	9:40 a m	9:45 a m
307	Boston Express	11:50 a m	11:55 a m
309	Boat Express	4:10 p m	4:15 p m
311	"Flyer"	8:25 p m	8:35 p m
319	Sunday only	11:40 a m	11:50 a m

SOUTH BOUND.

		Arrive	Depart
300	Binghamton Local		8:20 a m
302	Local Passenger ...	10:35 a m	10:40 a m
304	Chicago Express ...	12:40 p m	12:45 p m
306	Oneonta Local	6:50 p m	7:00 p m
308	Chicago Express ..	6:50 p m	6:55 p m
312	Sleeper	2:30 a m	2:35 a m
314	Sunday only	11:10 a m	11:15 a m
316	Sunday only	7:00 p m	7:05 p m

Trains 311, 313, 314, 316 run Sundays.

Trains leave Oneonta for Cooperstown and intermediate points at 7:10 a. m., 10:25 a. m. and 4:20 p. m. and 6:30 p. m. on week days. Sunday at 11:55 a. m., and 7:10 p. m. Returning arrive at Oneonta at 9:55 a. m. and at 12 m., 4:20 and 6:40 p. m. Sundays at 11:05 a. m. and 6:40 p. m.

Southern New York Railway

Schedule effective September 6.

Trains will leave Oneonta for Herkimer and intermediate points at 8:05, 10:15 12:15, 2:15, *4:15 and 6:15 p. m. for Hartwick at 7:15 and 9:15 p. m.

Arriving at Hartwick one hour later, at Cooperstown one hour thirty minutes later, at Richfield Springs two hours later and Herkimer three hours later.

Trains will arrive at Oneonta as follows: 6:50, 7:47, 9:47, *10:57 and 11:47 a. m., 1:47, 3:47, 5:47, 6:47 and 8:51 p. m.

City Service.

Leave East End (week days) at 6:30, 7:15, 7:45 and every thirty minutes.

Leave Junction (week days) at 6:40, 7:25, 7:55 and every thirty minutes thereafter.

Leave the D. & H. for Normal (week days) at 7:05, 7:35, 8:05 and every thirty minutes.

Leave Normal for D. & H. (week days) at 6:33, 7:19, 8:19, 8:49 and every thirty minutes.

Sundays.

First car leaves Normal at 8:10 a. m., last car at 9:19 p. m.

First car leaves East End at 7:45 a. m., last car at 10:45 p. m.

First car leaves Junction at 7:55 a. m.

Last car leaves West Oneonta for Broad street at 10:50 p. m.

Last car leaves West Oneonta for East End at 10:20 p. m.

*Denotes daily except Sunday.

J. W. NUGENT, G. P. A.

ULSTER & DELAWARE RR

TIME TABLE OF IN EFFECT SEPTEMBER 10, 1916.

Trains are due to leave this city as follows:

*7:20 a. m., a1:15, *3:12 p. m.

Trains are due to arrive as follows:

**11:20, a11:55 a. m., 6:45 p. m.

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[Prepared by Kansas State Agricultural College.]

Now is the time to plant the sweet peas. These flowers are easily grown if the soil is properly prepared and good seed is used, according to M. F. Ahearn, professor of landscape gardening in the Kansas State Agricultural college.

"Germination may be hastened by soaking the seeds in warm water before planting," said Professor Ahearn. "The trench method is considered the most successful way of planting. The trench should be from six to eight inches deep and a foot wide. The bottom of the trench should be turned and well rotted manure worked into it. Firm the soil and plant the seeds in the bottom of the trench in two rows six inches apart, one seed to an inch in the row.

"The pit should be left open until the plants appear and filled gradually as they grow. This encourages the development of long roots and gives the plant the ability to withstand the hot summer months. If the weather is cold when the plants first appear the pit should be partly filled with dry leaves to protect them until the warm weather. Thin the plants to a distance of three inches.

"A trellis should be provided for the vines. It may be made of wire netting, crossbars being nailed between the uprights for support. A netting that sags causes injury to the vines and is unsightly. The trellis should be from four to six feet high. The tips of the vines should be clipped when they attain a height of six feet. More blooms will follow each picking."

Machine Made Shoes.

Up to forty years ago bootmaking was almost entirely a handicraft. But with the gradual improvement and development in machines for sewing soles and uppers and the vast expansion of the factory system the manufacture of footgear has taken tremendous strides. The "custom" shoemaker of the kind favored by the millionaire or the men and women of fashion no longer uses handwork on his shoes, whatever may be his plausible announcement to his ultra exclusive clientele, for every boot worn in these days by the millionaire or the day laborer, by the woman of society or the factory girl, is cut, joined and sewed by machinery.—New York World.

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Only Three of a Kind.

Thomas R. Marshall shares with John Adams and Daniel Tompkins the distinction of being the only vice president re-elected to that position with the same president. In other words, neither successful party at an election has ever elected the same ticket twice except in the cases of George Washington and John Adams, James Monroe and Daniel Tompkins and Woodrow Wilson and Thomas R. Marshall.

Of the second term presidents, Jefferson had with him in the vice presidential chair Burr and Clinton, Madison had Clinton and Gerry, Andrew Jackson had Calhoun and Van Buren, Lincoln had Hannibal Hamlin and Andrew Johnson, Grant had Schuyler Colfax and Henry Wilson, the latter dying in office; Cleveland had Hendricks in his first election and Adlai Stevenson in his second, and McKinley first had Hobart and then Roosevelt

THE HAPPY GIFT OF SMALL TALK

A Homily on the Gift of Saying the Right Thing at the Right Moment and of Saying Nothing In the Pleasantest Social Way.

It is difficult sometimes to know just what to talk about, and if one is not talking then one is assuredly not having a good time. For instance, this happens at a dance or on meeting people for the first time at a tea, in the street car, most any place where one must talk. Small talk's the thing on such occasions. But there is some unworthy of indulgence, let alone cultivation. There is something inexpressibly stupid about two people covering a mile of dance floor in such proximity to each other without saying a single word. This is but one of the instances where small talk's the thing. If you scorn the cultivation of this social necessity just try discussing the Darwinian theory to the lilt of a fox trot and it is a safe bet that you will succeed either in losing your step or, what is infinitely more important to you, forgetting your own opinion of the theory. Then there is the tea, with its attendant influx of the thirty minute calibers, and again the necessity of something to say besides "How do you do?" and "Quite well, thank you."

Any one, and particularly a woman, whose misfortune it is, and misfortune enough when she has not the gift of repartee, to spend the most of her time at these gatherings, will find her life something of a social success if she cultivates telling commonplaces. The mere mention of a new play or a new book is sufficient to start the ball rolling. Some especially charming individual may even dare talk about herself exclusively and at the same time be interesting. It is not wise, though, for the inexperienced to begin in this way. But it is surprising how interesting a commonplace may be if well told, and particularly if it be amusing. Humor, you know, is catching; it is also a very safe way of overcoming self consciousness. Needless to say, however, there is the grave danger of making humor uncomfortably personal, so the wise humorist will make himself or some one unknown to his listeners the main actor in the funny incidents.

So you see, banter is worth cultivating. It disposes of awkward situations, gives those capable of it added charm and in general does much to relieve the tension that is a real bugbear to every hostess.

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Different Hulls.

While Isaac Hull, who commanded the Constitution in the war of 1812, is a great figure in our annals, his uncle, General William Hull, holds a very different position, as it was he who surrendered his force to the British, much to the disgust of his officers and men. Hull, who had fought under Washington, was in command of the army, and by his surrender we lost the ground from Detroit to Fort Dearborn, which is where Chicago now stands. Hull was sentenced to be executed, but was finally reprieved.

A SAFE PLACE.

Have you seen the cute little safe built into an innocent looking table of mahogany or French enamel? They are really the latest thing in furniture and deserve to be adopted by all those who have things valuable enough to be kept under lock and key. In the enamels these little tables can be used for bedside tables, and you can sleep with the satisfaction of having your jewels and your money almost under your pillow and much safer. In the library the small table looks like a smoker's cabinet or cellaret, but contains upon investigation a safe fully a foot square with the usual combination lock behind a door of mahogany. One could almost keep a table of this sort in the dining room to store away smaller silver pieces over night.

America to the Mothers

If the bugles blare on the springtime air
And the guns start booming heavily;
If the big bombs break and the buildings shake
And the tramp, tramp, tramp grows steadily,

Will you come to me, that my eyes may see
The patriot fire in the souls you bear?
Will you charm my ears with your loyal cheers
And gild my eyes with the smiles you wear?

Would I might know that each mother's woe,
Her grief at war, was a bygone thing!
Would I might see in her loyalty
That her haunting sorrow had taken wing!

For when warfares wage—when the steel fires rage
'Tis a woman's heart that must feed the flame!
As a mother gives, so a soldier lives—
She may bless with valor or curse with shame!

If the bugles blow, would I might know
That no coward fear I will ever see!
With your steadfast will my own veins would thrill
And naught could hinder our victory!
—Lorana Sheldon in New York Times.

He Made It "We."

It was the night of Lincoln's first election, and the little frame home of the Lincolns in Springfield, Ill., was filled with friends and relatives, all eager for some news of the election results. The reports for awhile had been coming in early and favorable, but after awhile they began to be less promising. Mrs. Lincoln had been by her husband's side all day. He now insisted that she retire. The crowd gradually began to dwindle. Then came the news that New York had been carried, followed immediately by the report that Lincoln had carried the country. The rest of the story would be better told by the great man himself.

"When there was no longer any doubt or reason for doubt," he related afterward, "I went up to my bedroom and found my wife asleep. I gently touched her shoulder and said, 'Mary!' She made no answer. I spoke again, a little louder, saying, 'Mary, Mary, we are elected!'"—Brooklyn Eagle.

A Gentle Thrust.

Miss Oldgirl—I remember when the girls married much younger than they do now. Miss Pert—Yes, so grandma tells me.—Baltimore American.

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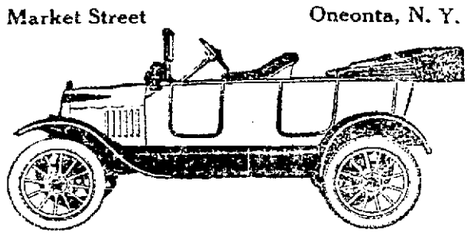

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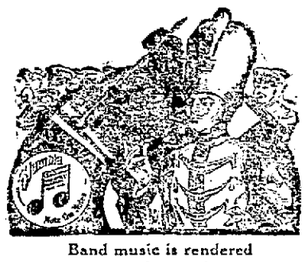

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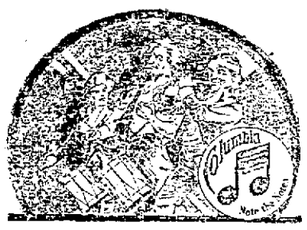

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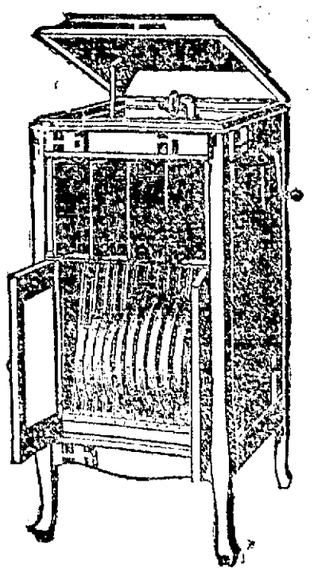

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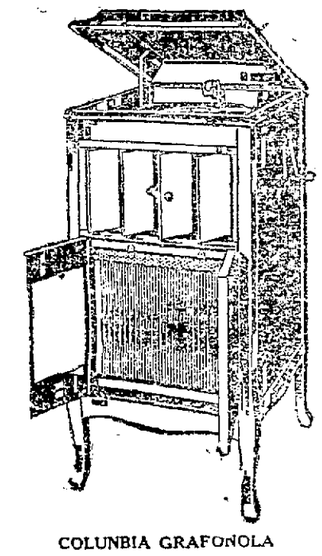

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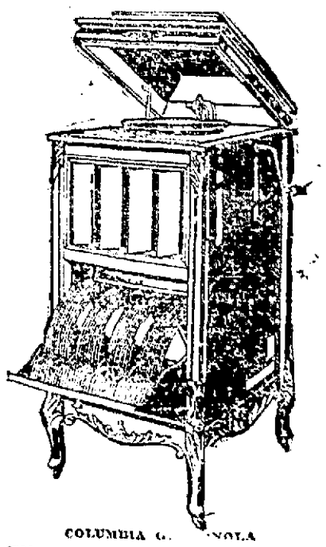

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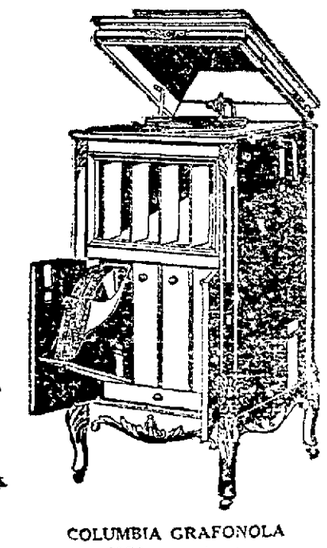

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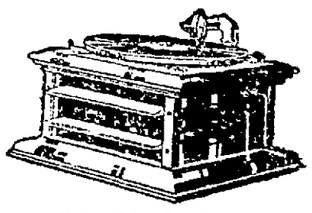

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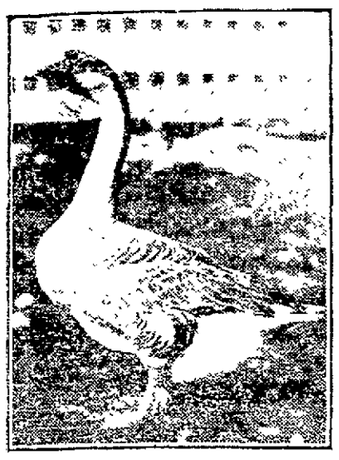
POULTRY AND EGGS

GOOSE RAISING PAYS

Points on Breeding, Incubation and Feed and Care of Goslings.

[Prepared by United States department of agriculture.]

Geese can be raised in small numbers successfully and at a profit on farms where there is low, rough pasture land with a natural supply of water. Geese are generally quite free from disease and all insect pests, but occasionally are affected by the diseases common to poultry. Grass makes up the bulk of the feed for geese, and it is doubtful whether it pays to raise them unless



Six breeds of geese have been admitted to the American standard of perfection—namely, Toulouse, Embden, Chinese, African, Wild or Canadian and Egyptian. In addition to the standard breeds, there is the so called Mongrel goose, which is a hybrid made by crossing one of these varieties, or the common goose, with wild geese. The illustration shows an African gander.

good grass range is available. A body of water where they can swim is considered essential during the breeding season and is a good feature during the rest of the year. The market for geese is not so general as for chickens. This should be considered in undertaking the raising of geese. The demand and the price paid for geese are usually good in sections where goose fattening is conducted on a large scale. Many geese are kept in the south for the production of feathers rather than for their flesh, but the demand for their feathers is not so good as it has been, making the business less profitable. Wherever possible, the geese on a farm should have free range. Many farmers in the south keep them to kill the weeds in the cotton fields.

Houses.

Except in winter or during stormy weather, when some protection should be provided, mature geese do not usually need a house. Some kind of shelter, such as a shed open on the south side, a poultry house or a barn, is usually provided by breeders in the north and is used by many in the south. Coops, barrels or some other dry shelter should be provided for young goslings. The goose houses should be kept clean and plenty of clean straw provided for the floor.

Selecting and Mating.

Geese, like other kinds of poultry, should be selected for size, prolificacy and vitality. They should be mated several months prior to the breeding season to obtain the best results. Therefore breeding stock should be bought in the fall. Goose matings are not changed from year to year unless the results are unsatisfactory. A gander may be mated with from one to four geese, but pair or trio matings usually give the best results. The wild gander usually mates with only one goose. When mated, geese are allowed to run in flocks. From four to twenty-five geese may be kept on an acre of land, and under most conditions ten is a fair average.

Incubation.

Geese are fed a ration to produce eggs during the latter part of the winter or so that the goslings will be hatched by the time there is good grass pasture. They are allowed to make nests on the floor of the house, or large boxes, barrels or shelters are provided for that purpose. The eggs should be collected daily and kept in a cool place where the contents will not evaporate too freely. If kept for some time they may be stored in loose bran. The first eggs are usually set under hens, while the last ones which the goose lays may be hatched either under hens or under the goose if she is broody. If the eggs are not removed from the nest in which the goose is laying she will usually stop laying sooner than if they are taken away. Some breeders prefer to raise all the goslings under hens, as geese sometimes become difficult to manage when allowed to hatch and rear their young. Hens used for hatching goose eggs must be dusted with insect powder and have good attention, as in the case of geese the period of incubation is longer than in that of fowls. Goose eggs may be hatched in incubators and the goslings successfully raised in brooders, although this is not a common practice.

The period of incubation of goose eggs varies from twenty-eight to thirty days. Moisture should be added to the eggs after the first week if set under hens or in incubators; this is usually done by sprinkling the eggs or the nest with warm water. Four to six eggs are set under a hen and ten to thirteen under a goose. They may be tested about the tenth day, and those which are infertile or contain dead germs should be removed. Only hatchable eggs should be left under hens, and the goslings are usually removed as soon as hatched and kept in a warm place until the process is over, when they are put back under the hen or goose. Some breeders who hatch with both geese and hens give all the goslings to the geese. Hens with goslings may be confined to the coop and the goslings allowed to range. The latter, especially if the weather is cold, are not usually allowed to go into water until they are several days old. In mild weather the hens are allowed to brood the goslings for from seven to ten days, when the latter are able to take care of themselves. Good sized growing coops, with board floors, should be provided for the goslings, and they must be protected from their enemies and given some attention when on range.

Feeding the Geese and Goslings.

Geese are generally raised where they have a good grass range or pasture, as they are good grazers, and except during the winter months usually pick up most of their living. The pasture may be supplemented with light feeds of the common or home grown grains or wet mash daily, the necessity and quantity of this feed depending on the pasture. Goslings do not need feed until they are twenty-four to thirty-six hours old, when they should be fed any of the mashes recommended for chickens or ducklings.

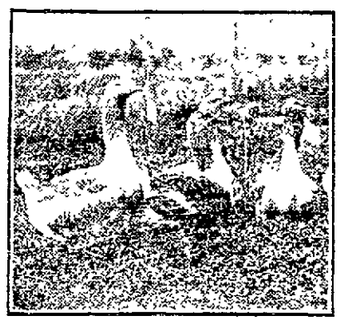
Preparation For Market.

Before marketing the young geese the average farmer can feed advantageously a fattening ration either while the geese are on grass range or confined to small yards, but it is doubtful whether it would pay him to confine them to individual or small pens and make a specialty of fattening unless he has a special market or retail trade for well fattened stock.

Geese are usually killed and picked in the same manner as other kinds of poultry. Some markets prefer dry picked geese, while in other markets no difference is made in the price of scalded or dry picked geese. When feathers are to be saved fowls should not be scalded, but should be picked dry before or after steaming. On most farms where geese are raised the feathers are plucked from the live fowls at some time prior to molting. About one and one-tenth pounds per goose is the average yield of feathers. Feathers are worth from 30 cents to $1 a pound, and the picking cost per goose is about 11 cents.

Breeds.

Crosses of the varieties of geese, especially of the Toulouse and Embden, are occasionally made, but without any apparent gain. The Toulouse, Embden,



The Toulouse, the largest of the standard breeds of geese, is a good layer, producing from twenty to thirty-five eggs a year, is docile, grows rapidly and makes a good market bird. However, its dark pinfeathers make it a slightly less attractive market goose than the Embden. The flock shown are Toulouse geese.

Chinese and African are easily the most popular breeds of geese in this country, the first two greatly leading the other breeds. All economic breeds of geese are kept primarily for the production of flesh and feathers, and although their eggs are occasionally used for culinary purposes on the farm there is no demand for them for food purposes in the markets.

The Egyptian goose is a small, brightly colored goose kept for ornamental purposes and rarely seen in this country. It resembles the wild goose in shape and weighs two pounds less in each class.

Prisoners of Parliament.

Few people are aware that the houses of parliament have their own prison. Yet situated high up in the clock tower is the M. P.'s prison, consisting of four bedrooms and two sitting rooms.

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Perhaps the best remembered occupant of parliament's prison was Mr. Bradlaugh, who was sentenced by the speaker to imprisonment in the clock tower for refusing to withdraw when requested so to do.

Offenders against parliament other than members have been sentenced to imprisonment in the clock tower. These "outsiders" have included several public speakers and the editor of a prominent newspaper. — Pearson's Weekly.

Perfume Has Weight.

Charles Bazzoni, a French chemist, has demonstrated that a grain of musk loses weight until it ceases to give off its odor, after which its weight remains the same. This proves that perfume is caused by volatile particles given off by the odoriferous body.—New York World.

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SOUTHERN DIALECT.

And the "Vanishing Y" Sound Dear to the Old Time Virginian.

Southerners have told me that they can tell from what part of the south a person comes by his speech, just as a northerner can distinguish by the same signs a New Englander, a New Yorker, a middle westerner and a Brooklynite. I cannot pretent to have become an authority upon southern dialect, but it is obvious to me that the speech of New Orleans is unlike that of Charleston and that of Charleston unlike that of Virginia. The English of Charleston seems to me to be about the purest English spoken in this country. It has few traces of what we call the southern accent, resembling, rather, the pronunciation of an Irishman educated from boyhood in England, yet retaining the faint trace of a brogue.

The chief characteristic of the Virginian dialect is the famous and fascinating localism which Professor C. Alphonso Smith has called the "vanishing y"—a y sound which causes words like "car" and "garden" to be pronounced "cyar" and "gyarden." I am told that in years gone by the "vanishing y" was common to all Virginians, but though it is still common enough among members of the old generation and is used also by some young people—particularly, I fancy, young ladies, who realize its fetching quality—there can be no doubt that it is, in both senses, vanishing and that not half the Virginians of the present day pronounce "cigar" as "segyar," "carpet" as "cya'pet" and "Carter" as "Cyahtah."

In Virginia and many other parts of the south one hears such words as "aunt" correctly pronounced with the broad a, and such words as "tube" and "new" properly given the full u sound (instead of "toobe" and "noo," as in some parts of the north); but, on the other hand, while the south gives the short o sound in such words as "log" and "fog" it invariably calls a dog a "dawg." "Your" is commonly pronounced "yore," "sure" as "shore" and "to" as "toe."

The south also uses the word "carry" in a way that strikes northerners as strange. If a southerner offers to "carry you" to the station or over his plantation, he does not mean that he intends to transport you on his back, but that he will take you. If he "carries you to the run" you will find that the "run" is what northerners call a creek, if to the "branch" that is what we call a brook.—Julian Street in Collier's.

The Stars.

If the stars should appear only one night in a thousand years, how men would believe and adore and preserve for many generations the remembrance of the city of God which had been shown! But every night come out these envoys of beauty and light the universe with their admonishing smile. —Emerson.

Surprisingly Good Cough Syrup Made at Home

Costs Very Little and Easily Made, but Is Remarkably Effective.

You'll never really know what a fine cough syrup you can make until you prepare this famous home-made remedy. You not only save $2 as compared with the ready-made kind, but you will also have a more effective and dependable remedy in every way. It overcomes the usual coughs, throat or chest colds in 24 hours—relieves even whooping cough quickly.

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THE MEANING OF FEDERAL HELP

Quite Recently Public Roads Were a National Disgrace.

INFLUENCE OF MOTORCARS

Road Associations, the Automobile, the Farmers' Demands and Other Influences Have All Contributed to the Pressure Which Has Finally Brought About Government Co-operation.

Until the motorcar—until, indeed, within the last ten years—the public roads of the United States have been a national disgrace. They are so yet, not quite 11 per cent of our more than 2,273,731 miles of roads deserving the name, writes C. H. Claudy in the Scientific American.

But road associations, the motorcar, an insistent demand from the farmer for help (it often costs him more to haul a ton of wheat from farm to market on a muddy road than to ship that ton from New York to Liverpool), the mounting cost of living, the increase of motor truck transportation, have all contributed to the pressure which has finally made the United States as a whole do for itself what forty-eight states have been trying to do, in forty-eight degrees of bewilderment and incompetence, for two decades.

Forty-eight road commissions, forty-eight ideas of what a road is and is not, some number less than forty-eight varieties of road graft, have not led us anywhere in making a comprehensive system of roads. We have a few good road states and a lot of poor road states. We have a few good road departments and a lot of so called commissions of which the less said the better. Now the nation has extended federal aid to states in building roads. Whether federal aid to states as opposed to a system of national highways built, controlled, maintained and repaired and owned by the nation is the wise step only time can tell. Federal aid became a fact July 11 of last year, when legislation which will result in the spending of $150,000,000 for roads was passed by congress and signed by the president.

To spend $150,000,000 in five years' time, spend it wisely, economically, efficiently, is not an easy task. It is not one which could be begun instantly upon the passage of the federal road bill, first, because an organization had to be perfected by the federal government under the direction of Logan Waller Page, director office of public roads, and, second, because only one state, California, was in a position to submit a project and ask for some of its apportionment of money immediately on the passage of the act.

Nor have the forty-eight states as yet all asked for any of their portion of federal aid, although practically all have signified their intention to do so. Some of them have no highway commissions—and a highway commission or department a state must have before it can get any federal money. Indiana, Texas and South Carolina, for instance, must create and organize highway departments or commissions. Other states were in another sort of difficulty — Kansas, Wyoming and South Dakota were unable under their constitutions to spend state money on internal improvements which were considered strictly county matters. The last two states altered this law at the last election, but Kansas, as a state, is still unable to negotiate with the government. To get its proportion of federal aid Kansas must work through a highway department created by her counties rather than her state legislature—unless she changes her organic law.

The federal government has appropriated $5,000,000 for road expenditures in 1917, $10,000,000 for 1918, $15,000,000 for 1919, $20,000,000 for 1920 and $25,000,000 for 1921, of which 3 per cent is for administrative purposes, leaving $72,750,000 for roads. The law provides that the federal government shall not contribute more than 50 per cent to the financing of any road project in any state. The money is apportioned on a three factor basis—population, area and mileage of rural star routes, each factor having a one-third weight.

The state must submit its project, its plans and specifications for a certain road or roads which it believes will serve it well and on which it is willing to spend enough money, matching the federal government dollar for dollar, to produce the kind of road which will be satisfactory to the secretary of agriculture.

If after consideration the project of the state is not considered one which will be of material benefit not only to the state as a state, but to the state as one of forty-eight states, then federal participation can be and will be denied. Thus a state planning a short piece of road interconnecting two central counties, which pieces of road formed no part of any state system or possible national system, would doubtless be refused federal participation in its building.

Turn About.

"Papa says if I give up my singing lessons he will present me with a pair of diamond earrings."

"You have never worn earrings, have you?"

"No; I should have to have my ears pierced."

"Ah, yes! I see his idea. He wants to pay you back in your own coin!"

Pennsylvania Active For Good Roads.

A bond issue totaling $50,000,000 is now proposed by Pennsylvanians prominent in the good roads movement. An amendment of the state constitution will have to be passed by the state legislature in order to accomplish this object.

A BELGIAN NATHAN HALE.

What a Letter Carrier Told His German Judges When Sentenced.

How a Belgian Nathan Hale met his death gloriously is recounted by the French newspapers. His name was Neets, and he was secretary of a group of letter carriers who refused to sign the German formula of "voluntary" service and would not be coerced into working for the Germans. He was convicted with three other letter carriers of belonging to an espionage organization and sentenced to be shot. The trial took place in the chamber of the Belgian senate at Brussels, and it is certain, the French commenters say, that a more noble or touching address was never uttered in that historic temple of eloquence than that made by the humble Neets to his judges after hearing his doom pronounced.

"I have nothing to add to my testimony, nothing to reveal," he said, "nor do I regret anything except that I could not do more for my country. I do not ask pardon for myself, but I do crave your indulgence for the others. The sacrifice of my own life I make gladly. There are so many Belgians at the front bravely doing their duty we should all follow their example uncomplainingly."

All four men faced the firing squad with great calmness, fully resigned to their fate.

Camembert Toast.

Take one can of American Camembert cheese, which is wrapped in tinfoil and is crustless, therefore the most economical to buy, and spread it thickly on toast rounds. Dust with cayenne pepper and salt, set under the gas broiler a few seconds to heat and serve at once. This is very nice with the salad course or for a late supper.

Wash Away Skin Sores

To the many sufferers of skin disease D. D. D., the liquid wash, has become a household word. They know it is reliable and they can depend on it, they do not hesitate to recommend it to their neighbors. It has proved itself a remarkable remedy for all forms of Eczema. It is a germicide that is harmless to the most delicate skin, but still it is effective and quick in action. If you are a sufferer from skin diseases, including ulcers, pimples, scales, crust or Eczema in any form, this remedy will not disappoint you. It has stood the test and today is the master preparation for all skin diseases.

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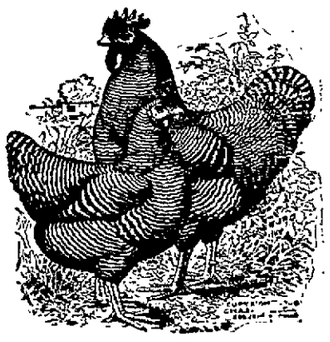

Thompson's Ringlet Barred Rock, $1.00 for 15 eggs.

S. C. White Leghorn Tom Barron strain eggs from yearling hens, 75c for 15 eggs; pullet eggs, 50c for 15 eggs.

We offer a limited number of baby chicks of first quality. Write for price.

75 Barred Rock pullets and 50 yearling hens at $2.50 each.

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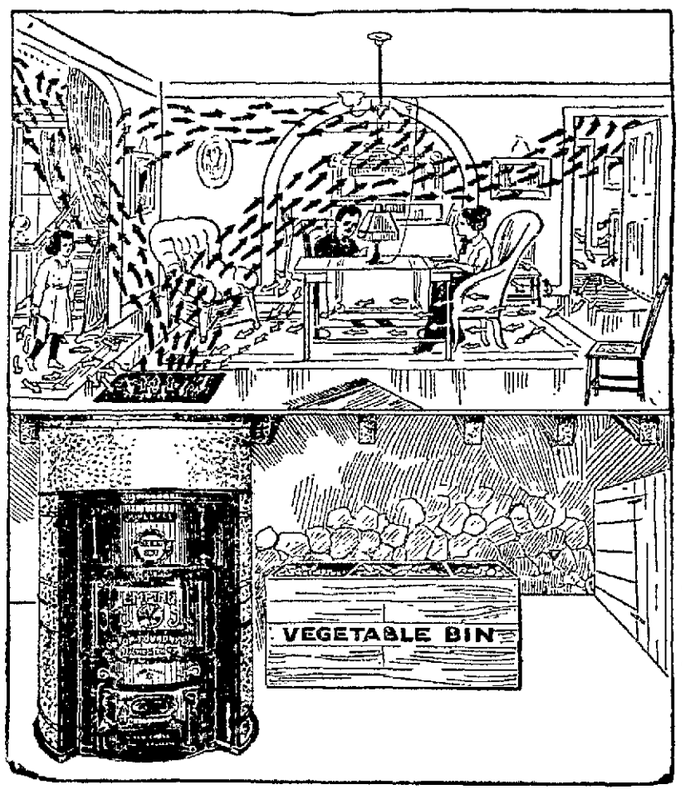

Were You From Missouri

Many furnace contractors and their customers were from "Missouri" a year ago. Today they are our best friends.

Red Cross pipeless furnaces are today heating churches, stores, hotels and all kinds of private homes. Perhaps your neighbor has one. If not we can tell you of some one near you who has.

Reasons Why? you should buy a Red Cross pipeless:

First—It will cut your coal bills one-half.

Second—It will heat every room in your home at an even temperature.

Third—It does not heat your cellar.

Fourth—It does all and more than a steam or hot water system would do, uses one-half the fuel and costs one-fourth as much to install.

Free Trial and Guarantee

We will install a Red Cross pipeless in your home. You may use it until January 1, 1918, free of charge. If you are not satisfied with it we will take it out and replace your floor in same condition as we found it.

REMEMBER

There will be thousands of Red Cross pipeless systems installed throughout the country during 1917. Why not buy yours now, before the prices advance.

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THREE ATTRACTIVE STYLES.

Women's 8-inch Boot of Tan Calf with tan suede top, Louis heel, a regular $8 value, our price $6.40.

Women's 8-inch Boot of Havana Brown Kid with dark grey suede top, Louis heel, a regular $7.50 value, our price $5.90.

Women's 8-inch Boot of Gun Metal Calf with medium grey suede top, medium heel, sold in most stores for $8, our price $6.40.

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Why Dress In the Cold?

A Small Gas Heater will make the room comfortable in a few minutes. We have them in sizes for your bedroom or bathroom at a very low cost. You will be delighted with the heat.
Shall we install yours today?

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PAY ATTENTION TO THAT LITTLE BALD SPOT

Here's good news at last for men and women whose hair is falling, who are getting bald or prematurely gray and whose scalps are covered with dandruff that nothing seems to keep away and whose heads itch like mad. H. B. Gildersleeve has secured the local agency for Parisian Sage, a simple, harmless hair treatment that is so certain in its tonic action on the hair and scalp and so sure of giving the limit of satisfaction, that they sell it with offer of money refunded if it does not abolish dandruff, stop itching head, and not only check excessive loss of hair but stimulate a new growth.

Parisian Sage is a delicately perfumed liquid, antiseptic and scientifically prepared, which when massaged into the scalp goes right down to the hair roots, where most hair worries begin, and furnishes the famished roots with the nourishment that is lacking to make the hair grow better and show more life and vitality. Parisian Sage not only stimulates hair growth but beautifies it so that it is a favorite dressing of women who take pride in beautiful hair that can be easily arranged and appear much heavier than it really is. A large bottle is inexpensive at your favorite drug counter. Advt

The Way of It.

"Do you always let your wife have the last word?"

"No."

"How do you stop her?"

"I don't. She takes it."—Baltimore American.

Metchnikoff as a Cook.

One day some distinguished visitors who had arrived in Paris and were being escorted about by a committee were taken to call upon the late Professor Metchnikoff, the famous scientist who believed that the secret of long life lay in diet, toward the hour of noon. The laboratory was all but empty, as most of the workers had departed for that sacred meal, the French dejeuner. But Metchnikoff was there himself intent on a vessel he was holding over a gas burner.

"It must be a very interesting experiment that keeps you engaged even at this hour," remarked one of the committee.

"Look for yourself," said Metchnikoff, and, continuing to stir with a glass tube, held up the dish so that a delicious fragrance rose to the noses of the visitors.

"That's what I'm working at," he laughed, "bananas in slices, fried in butter. They are excellent."—World's Work.

Drawing the Line.

"Why don't you take up aviation instead of motoring?"

"I can't see the advantage," replied Mr. Chuggins. "An accident is bad enough as it is. I don't want a vehicle that'll put me in the hospital every time it goes to the repair shop."—Washington Star.

INDIANA WOMAN SURPRISES NEW YORK WITH DIAMOND DISPLAY

MRS CHARLES H. ANTHONY & HER GEMS. Photo by INTERNATIONAL

Mrs. Charles H. Anthony of Muncie, Ind., who startled New York a few years ago with her de luxe gowns and diamond studded heels, is in Gotham again today with a new collection of sparklers. Her diamonds this time are in rings of unusual design. The stones are of great size and brilliance, and are set in platinum. Mrs. Anthony says she really doesn't know how many diamonds she owns.

DELAWARE COUNTY NEWS

DELHI DAY BY DAY.

Decision of Appellate Division in Scudder Case Creates Much Interest.

Delhi, March 12. — The decision of the appellate division in the case of John E. Scudder of Fleischmanns, reversing his conviction, was read here with considerable interest, as the case attracted much attention at the time of the trial.

Regarding Postmaster.

The announcement by Postmaster General Burleson that hereafter postmasters of the first, second and third classes will be appointed after competitive examination, should deceive no one. Democrats only will be appointed by this administration. A conspicuous example of this was the removal of Postmaster Morgan of New York, who had risen from an inferior position in the office and was concededly the best posted postmaster in the United States, and the appointment of a man who had no qualifications for the office, but was a Democrat.

Big Demand for Sunday Papers.

The warlike condition of affairs now existing between this country and Germany caused a great demand Sunday for the daily papers here and more than usual were sold. People are anxious to hear the latest.

Much Building This Spring.

Considerable building of bungalow houses and tasty residences will be commenced this spring, and more would be undertaken if capitalists would finance the same.

Local Mention.

James K. Penfield has returned from Florida and reports a pleasant trip. — Dr. C. E. Ladd has gone to Albany today to look after some interests of the Agricultural school now pending before the legislature. — John W. Gibson and W. T. Black have been appraising the personal property of the late Philo Benedict, who left a large estate. — Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Stern left for New York yesterday. They expect to be away several weeks and before they return will visit his brother at Hot Springs, Arkansas. — Harold McMurdy is home for a few days.

BASKETBALL TONIGHT.

Last Game of the Season Played at Grant's Hall Tuesday Evening.

Hobart, March 12. — There will be a basketball game at Grant's hall Tuesday evening, March 13, at 8:15 o'clock, between Stamford and Hobart. This will probably be the last game on the home floor this year. The Stamford team has reorganized and has a college star forward in the line-up. It will be a game well worth seeing. A preliminary game will be played between Stamford Juniors and the Hobart Juniors.

Improvements at Central.

The Rose Telephone company has been making extensive improvements in their office equipment here in order to facilitate and expedite the work occasioned by their ever increasing patronage. A new and commodious office has been completed and a new and much larger switchboard will soon be installed, after which Hobart will be the toll center, all timing and toll being taken by the operator here. This will necessitate two regular operators on duty most of the time and two relief operators. Mrs. Andrus Haynes, who has been a relief operator and is taking the place of Miss Ora Chickering, while the latter is away for a month's vacation, is to be the second operator. Another relief operator will be engaged.

E. L. Foote's Return Delayed.

E. L. Foote, who went to Iowa two weeks ago last Friday to buy a carload of horses, expecting to return in about six days, has not been able to reach home yet. Owing to the poor transportation facilities, he was unable to get an express car to ship his horses, and finally had to start by freight. He has had to make the entire trip in this very tedious way. He reached Buffalo Saturday night and hopes to be in Hobart before many days.

To Discontinue Milk Route.

Hobart will soon be without a milk man. The people of Hobart learn with much regret that Miss Elizabeth Decker has decided to discontinue, after the first of April, the delivery of milk on the route established by her father, the late Justus Decker, 13 years ago. Miss Decker had for some years prior to his recent death shared with her father much of the responsibility of the business. They gave the people good service and were always kind and obliging. We regret that she finds the work too arduous to continue. Anyone can procure milk by going to the house for it, but many are too far away to do so.

The abandoning of the delivery business should furnish a good business opening for some enterprising man, but so far as we have been able to learn no one has decided to take up the work.

Missionary Tea Tomorrow.

The Home Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church will hold an afternoon tea at the home of Mrs. G. E. Patrie Wednesday afternoon, March 14. There will be a short program and refreshments will be served. A Lenten offering will be taken. All are welcome. Come and bring your fancy work.

Robert Rice of Bovina Expires.

Dr. W. S. Dart of this place received a hurry call to Bovina Saturday afternoon to attend Robert Rice of that place, but found upon arrival that death had been instantaneous, caused by apoplexy. Mr. Rice was at the home of his son-in-law, James Rich, and dropped from his chair to the floor and expired immediately. He was 78 years old.

Meat Market Exchanges Hands.

Frank J. Todd of Stamford, who has had considerable experience in the meat business, has rented of John Foote his market here for a year, and took possession today. Mr. Todd aims to run a first-class, up-to-date market, and the people of Hobart wish him success.

News in Brief.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrus Haynes have rented rooms in William King's house on Mill street and expect to go to housekeeping about the first of April. — The snow was reported from 10 to 15 feet deep in the road through the Narrow Notch the last of the week and no teams could get through. — Mr. and Mrs. Russell Clark and Miss Anna Belle Hanford spent Sunday with friends in Stamford. — Rev. P. St. John Colman was in Windham Saturday to attend the funeral services of Mrs. C. C. Eames. — Mrs. E. B. Conrow of Schenevus is visiting Mrs. Milan Taylor. — Miss Frances Laux spent the week-end at her home in Stamford. — George A. Buckle of Oneonta was a business caller in town today. — Annual meeting of Civic club Tuesday afternoon at the club rooms. — Mrs. Claud Terry and daughter, Eva, are visiting Mrs. Terry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Clark.

WILLARD O. DECKER.

Respected Resident of Stamford, Dies at Harpersfield Monday.

Stamford, March 12. — Willard O. Decker, a respected resident of this village, died at the home of Melvin H. Peck in Harpersfield, Monday, March 12, of pneumonia, from which he suffered two attacks. Mr. Decker was born in Ashland, Greene county, in May, 1857, and had been a resident of this village for about 20 years. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church and Stamford tent, No. 548, Maccabees. He is survived by his wife and one stepson. The funeral will be held Wednesday, March 14, at 2 p. m., from the Stamford Methodist Episcopal church.

Stamford Village Report.

By the village report, the treasurer has paid out the past year $15,216.13 and there is a balance in the treasury of $1,682.40. The present bonded indebtedness of the village is $27,900. It is estimated $10,066 will be required to defray the village expenses for the coming year.

Local Brevities.

Charles Lewis and family have moved from the Brockway house on Roosevelt avenue to the O. I. Decker house, West Main street. — A well attended temperance rally was held in the opera house Sunday evening. — Uncle Tom's Cabin is booked for the opera house Tuesday, March 13. — Reports received from New York Monday state that Dr. Churchill's condition is improving and his recovery is expected. He is cared for by two trained nurses. — Frederick I. Rehn of Kingston, employed in the engineer force of the Ashokan water works, has rented Fred Cook's residence on South street for a term of five years. Over 20 families who will be employed on the building of the dam at Gilboa want to locate in Stamford. — Fred Cook, who has leased his residence on South street, will move into rooms over his garage.

Victoria and Napoleon.

Queen Victoria once gave a remarkable description of her visit to the tomb of Napoleon I. during the reign of Napoleon III. "The coffin is not yet here," she wrote, "but is in a small side chapel of St. Jerome. Into this the emperor led me, and there I stood at the arm of Napoleon III., his nephew, before the coffin of England's bitterest foe, I, the granddaughter of that king who hated him most, and who most vigorously opposed him and this very nephew, who bears his name, being my nearest and dearest ally! The organ of the church was playing 'God Save the Queen' at the time, and this solemn scene took place by torchlight and during a thunderstorm. Strange and wonderful indeed!"

Had to Do It.

"The defendant admits," said the traffic squad cop, "that he went around the corner on two wheels."

"Fifty dollars' fine or thirty days," said the judge.

"But does your honor know," interposed the defendant's counsel, "that the defendant was riding a bicycle?"—Buffalo Express.

HEADACHE, COLDS, COSTIVE BOWELS, TAKE CASCARETS

To-night! Clean your bowels and end Headaches, Colds, Sour Stomach.

Get a 10-cent box now.

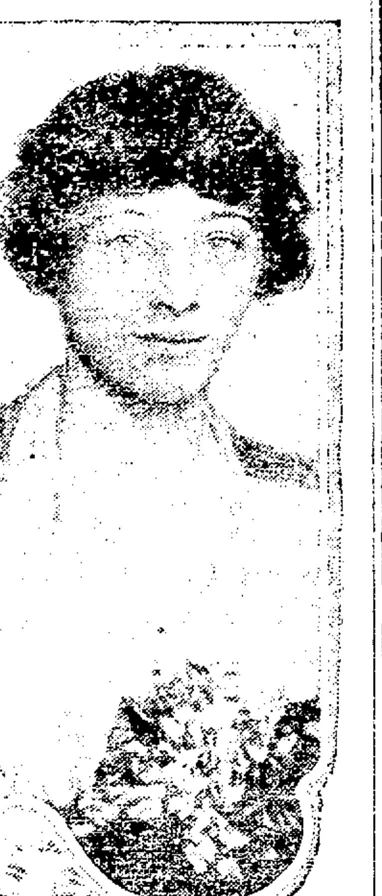
You men and women who can't get feeling right—who have headache, coated tongue, bad taste and foul breath, dizziness, can't sleep, are bilious, nervous and upset, bothered with a sick, gassy, disordered stomach, or have a bad cold.

Are you keeping your bowels clean with Cascarets, or merely forcing a passageway every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil?

Cascarets work while you sleep; cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested, fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry out of the system all the constipated waste matter and poison in the bowels.

A Cascaret to-night will straighten you out by morning—a 10-cent box from any drug store will keep your stomach sweet; liver and bowels regular, and head clear for months. Don't forget the children. They love Cascarets because they taste good—never gripe or sicken.

Spurned 1,000 Times, He Wins Her After Eleven Years



MISS VIOLA TRUEMAN

Perseverance has finally won for Harry G. Farnum of New York city, the hand of Miss Viola E. Trueman, a sixteen-year-old Boston belle. Farnum first asked for Miss Trueman's hand when the latter was five years old. He proposed to her father and was laughed at. But Farnum waited and later proposed to Miss Trueman herself. She spurned him, Farnum says, at least 1,000 times in the two years that he courted her. Her parents ridiculed his suit for eleven years. Finally they came to take him seriously, and then Miss Trueman consented. They are going to be married just as soon as young Mr. Farnum can arrange it.

OTSEGO COUNTY NEWS

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small hopes the product will be very cheap.—Ice taken from the river last week was over 18 inches in thickness. —Ezra Rowley has a position as fireman at the milk station.—Benjamin Carr of Oneonta spent Sunday with his aunt, Miss Jennie Carr.—Miss Sarah Sprague visited friends at Meridale last week.—Mrs. Scott Clark and daughter of Sidney Center visited at William Shaw's Monday.

MILFORD CENTER NOTES.

Milford Center, March 12. — Miss Florence Morris is spending a few days in Cobleskill. — Mr. and Mrs. H. Pearsall and son, Frank, spent a part of last week at I. E. Lamb's. — About 100 attended the Christian Endeavor social at A. E. Packer's last Friday evening. All report a pleasant time. — Mr. Pashley of Laurens is coming to the Seeger farm. — Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Edson spent Sunday afternoon in Oneonta. — Lynn Seeger spent the week-end with Myron Sickler near Cooperstown. — The prayer meeting will meet with Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Morris on Thursday evening.

WEST ONEONTA OFFERINGS.

West Oneonta, March 12.—The annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid will be held at the home of Mrs. Frank Taber Tuesday afternoon. — Covenant meeting at the Free Baptist church next Saturday afternoon. — Next Wednesday evening, March 14, the union evangelistic meetings, conducted by F. C. Slocum will open at the Free Baptist church.

The fastest of the English whippets can tear along over the ground at seventeen yards a second.

There is only one way to get along with some people, and that is their way.—Philadelphia Record.

STILL ANOTHER ENDICOTT MAN PRAISES TANLAC

Carl Baker Tells How Quickly It Ended Blood Impurity

"I suffered from impure blood that caused my face to be covered with blotches," said Carl Baker, shoemaker, of 21 Washington avenue, Endicott, as he began a story that will interest a great many workers here.

"My stomach was in bad condition and about half an hour after meals I would begin to suffer from gas and bloating.

"I read and heard a great deal about Tanlac and I decided that I would do well to try it.

"After I had used two bottles the rash left my face, showing that the impurities in my blood had been driven out. I could eat as much as I wanted and enjoy it, and there would be no bad after results, not even the formation of gas.

"I am recommending Tanlac because it has helped me more than any other kind of tonic that I have ever taken, and I might say that I have taken at least five others."

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Boils and carbuncles are due to infection by the streptococcic microbe. This means there are inflammation and pus present in these affections. Unless active treatment is instituted at the very beginning of inflammation there will be grave constitutional involvement which cannot be checked.

To avoid serious results it should be impressed upon every one suffering from boils or carbuncles the imperative need of having a physician at the first appearance of the affection. Delay will cause destruction of tissue or bone, deformity of a part or systematic infection, which results in loss of life.

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